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ONLY INFERENCE IS REPUBLICANS WOULD PUT NATION IN WAR

"All Our Present Foreign Policy is Wrong, They Say, and If it is Wrong, and They Are Men of Conscience, They Must Change It," Declares the President—"Is Only One Choice as Against Peace, and That is War!"

MR. WILSON ADDRESSES SEVERAL THOUSAND YOUNG MEN IN FIRST REAL POLITICAL SPEECH OF THE CAMPAIGN

Vigorously Denounces Republican Party and Points Out That the Democratic Party is the Only Party Which Has Lived Throughout the National History—Lays Down Issues on Which He Believes Campaign Should be Fought.

Long Branch, N. J., Sept. 30.—In a Vigorous denunciation of the Republican party President Wilson tonight told a delegation of young Democrats from New York that the "certain prospect," if the Republicans should succeed in November, is that "we shall be drawn in one form or another into the embroilments of European war," and that "the force of the United States will be used to produce in Mexico the kind of law and order which some investors in Mexico consider most to their advantage."

Assails Republican Party.

The President made his first out and out political speech of the campaign from the porch of Shadow Lawn. Urged on by the enthusiastic cheers and waving banners of several thousand young men, he assailed the Republican party and laid down the issues on which he believes the campaign should be fought.

"Am I not right that we must draw the conclusion that if the Republican party is put into power at the next election our foreign policy will be radically changed?" he asked. "I cannot draw any other inference. All our present foreign policy is wrong, they say, and if it is wrong and they are men of conscience, they must change it. And if they are going to change it, in what direction are they going to change it? There is only one choice as against peace, and that is war."

Would Use Force in Mexico?

Charging that Republicans take the counsel of "those who have hitherto acted as the counsellors of the vested interests in Mexico," the President declared that these men had tried to get what they wanted from him, but had failed and "now are going where they think they can get it."

Still discussing the foreign affairs of the country, President Wilson stated that on account of the political uses made of foreign relations, "it is going to be practically impossible for the present administration to handle any critical matter concerning our foreign relations because all foreign statesmen are waiting to see which way the election goes, and in the meantime they know that settlements would be inconclusive.

Outlines His Own Plans.

Most of the President's address was devoted to criticisms of the Republican party and to outlining his own plans. In front and below him were young Democrats who came here from New York on special trains and marched with bands playing and bannera waving, more than a mile, to Shadow Lawn. Frequently he was forced to stop speaking for several minutes while the applause lasted.

A bid was made by the President for the votes of Progressives. He praised the Progressive party as having "the real red blood of human sympathy in its veins," and declared the Democratic party had done the things the Progressives wanted done.

Refers to Hyphenate Issue.

Briefly, the President referred to the hyphenate issue. He said:

"Back of that party (the Republican) are those who want to inject into our politics the politics of Europe."

Again attacking the Republican party, he said lieutenants of Mark Hanna have returned to authority and determined the policy of the Republican party.

Outlining the programme of the Democratic party, Mr. Wilson said it has begun the processes of "liberalization" for the business of this country and "it intends to strengthen that system at every point, extend it wherever it needs extension."

He referred briefly to the Federal Reserve act, the Tariff Commission act, the Trade Commission act, and other laws passed by the Democrats, charging that "until the present administration, Wall Street controlled the actions of the Treasury of the United States."

Speaks Very Plainly.

President Wilson said:

"I am very much obliged to you for giving me an opportunity to say some very plain things about the present campaign and about the future policy of this country, because young men are very much more interested in the future than they are in the present. * * * Your feeling is that the world lies in front of you and not behind you. You want to know what sort of world it is going to be, and what sort of guidance you are going to have in that world.

"I do not know where, from Republican quarters, you have got any suggestions as to what is going to happen in the years to come. This is a most singular campaign. I will not say an unprecedented campaign because I happen to remember that other parties have tried to get into power by saying nothing whatever, and I remember with interest that they never succeeded because the people of the United States are an inquisitive people—they will insist upon your telling them what you intend to do in the future.

The Party That Has Lived.

"The Democratic party, my fellow citizens, is the only party whose life has persisted and whose vigor has continued throughout all the history of this nation and that has not happened by accident. It has happened because it is the only party, I venture to say, all of whose life has been governed, or at any rate inspired, by a definite principle — an absolute belief in the control of the people, their right to control, their capacity to control their own affairs and shape them in the common interest.

"The Democratic party has committed many errors, the Democratic party has made some fatal mistakes of action, but the reason it has lived, the reason it is the only party that has apparent immortality in our politics, is that it is the only party that has consistently based its beliefs upon the things and the convictions that underlie all American history—the belief in the government of the people by themselves and their own representatives.

Other Parties Have Died.

"It has witnessed the life and death of two great parties, and unless I am very much mistaken, it will witness the early disappearance of another. It witnessed the life, decadence and disappearance of the Federalist party. It witnessed the life, the increase, the demoralization, the decline and the disapparance of the Whig party.

"And then there appeared upon the scene the Republican party, first of all organized for a great and definite purpose, to prevent the spread of the institution of slavery into the free portions of the United States. That object they greatly accomplished. And then there seemed to ascend upon them the spirit of the Federalist and the Whig parties, and ever since then the increasing demoralization of party has been evident.

"The Republican party as now constituted and leaders believe in government by the attorney and special interests. They are perfectly willing that the attorneys of the people should appear before them and plead for the rights of the people, but they are not willing that the counsels which determine action shall be participated in by the attorneys of the people.

The People Not Heard.

"One of the things that they are most constantly talking about is the protective tariff and there was a time when a very wide taking of counsel entered into the formation of our tariffs, but not towards the end. Then a small group of selected counsellors always determined what the items of the tariff should be. The only persons heard were the attorneys for the special interests and the attorneys of the people could batter at the door as they pleased and never get a hearing.

False Promises Redeemed.

"The end of such a party was foredoomed, and now the party that believes in the people and tries to do things for the people has been in power for four years. And what has happened? It has redeemed some of the promises falsely made by the attorneys for the special interests. And it has done something more interesting than that. You remember that four years ago there was a great body of spirited Republicans who said:

"'This thing is becoming a fraud and a sham. We have been taking care of some people but we have not been taking care of the great body of the people. We have not thought about their morals, we have not thought about their health; we have not thought about their rights as human beings, and we insist that you put the policy of this party in our hands or we will go off and form a party of our own.'

Pays Respects to Progressives.

"And thereupon the great Progressive party sprung up. * * * I want to pay my tribute of respect to the purposes and intentions of the men who formed that group in our politics. * * *

"There are stand-patters in the Democratic party, * * * but the interesting thing about the Democratic party is that those men are in a small minority in its ranks, whereas in the party of the opposition they are in a majority and are incorrigible.

"The interesting thing for all politicians to remember is that the progressive voters of this country, all put together, outnumber either party. * * * This country is progressive and if you youngsters are going to be in the running you will throw in your fortunes

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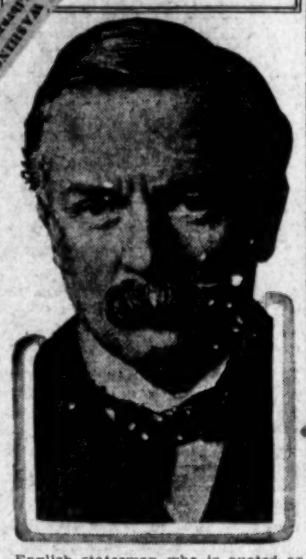
DAVID LLOYD-GEORGE.



LIBRARY of CONGRESS WASHINGTON, D. C.

English statesman who is quoted as saying that the war has just begun; any move tending toward peace would be considered unneutral and pro-German, even were the effort to be made by the United States.

HEFLIN THRILLS WEST CAROLINA DEMOCRATS

Alabaman Holds Throng Throughout His Speech.

Recites Great Army of Achievements of Wilson Administration and Appeals for Support of Weaver for Congress.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., Sept. 30.—Before an audience of representative people that packed the court house to capacity and filled up even the aisles and window seats, Hon. Thomas Heflin, "Pinch hitter for Democracy," tonight delivered an earnest plea for the re-election of Woodrow Wilson, "one of the greatest Presidents of all times," and abjured the people of the Tenth Congressional district to take no chance of handicapping Democracy's leader with a hostile Congress but to rally to the support of Zeb Weaver for Congress.

Introduced by R. B. Williams, former member of the State Legislature, the Alabama orator launched at once into an eloquent discussion of what Democracy has done for the United States.

He pointed to the Federal Reserve act, which makes a panic impossible; he pointed to the United States at peace with all the world, in contrast to the harassed European countries; he told of the primary law, putting the election of United States senators in the hands of the people instead of in the hands of the State legislatures; spoke of the Rural Credits law, the Shipping bill, which makes commerce with other countries possible; the suppression of the pernicious lobby system, and numerous other benefits that have accrued to the country through Democratic administration.

Delivered with his usual brilliance, the speech of the noted Alabamian held his hearers to the last moment and he was given a veritable ovation at its conclusion.

CANTON IN STAGE OF PANIC.

Result of the Ambitions of Rival Military Leaders.

Hongkong, Sept. 30.—Canton is in a state of siege and panic as a result of the ambitions o frival military leaders who claim they are operating through patriotic motives. Cholera has appeared at Macao, and is reported at Canton. Consequently Hongkong has been compelled to deny admission to the thousands of Chinese who are fleeing from the besieged city of Canton.

General Lung Chi-kuang, who was military governor of Canton before Li Yuan-hung became president, was renamed by Li Yuan-hung to hold the same office. However, the opposition of the extreme republicans to General Lung Chi-kuang was so strong that President Li Yuan-hung was compelled to name General Lu Yang-ting to take the post of military governor of Kwang Tung. General Lu is in Kwangsi, and has not yet gone to Kwangtung province. He is reported to be on his way there, but there are many rumors as to what his intentions are. The hold of the Peking government on Canton and Kwangtung province is so very slender that it is doubtful whether its new appointee will be able to restore harmony when he reaches Canton.

THE TOMBS TAKES IN 19.

Trinity College Fraternity Initiates New Members—Banquet.

Trinity College, N. C., Sept. 30.—The Tombs, a local honor and patriotic fraternity, held its annual initiation of new men here Wednesday and Thursday, and 19 men were taken into the society.

The numerous candidates were put through the first degree of the initiatory exercises on Wednesday night. This degree consisted mainly in the usual rough horse-play, together with preaching, singing, yelling, and other such tricks all over the campus. The [illegible] ceremonies were performed in the earlier hours of the night, directly after which a six course banquet was tendered in honor of the new men in the Malbourne Hotel

NO CHANGE IN THE AMERICAN POLICY

Resumption of German Submarine Warfare Would Immediately Reopen Controversy.

THIS NOT FEARED, HOWEVER

Advices from Berlin Emphatically Deny That Germany Intends to Wage Relentless Campaign in Violation of Promises.

Washington, Sept. 30.—Increasing agitation in Germany for a complete resumption of submarine warfare, Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg's declaration before the Reichstag that any statesman failing to use Germany's every weapon to shorten the war "deserves to be hanged," and the recent apparently inspired simultaneous publication in German papers of attacks on American neutrality brought forth today an authoritative, though informal, statement from the State Department of the American government's attitude towards the situation.

Any action which endangers American lives through the sinking of ships without warning of by failing to provide proper safeguards, it was emphatically asserted, will immediately re-open the submarine question with all its possibilities. But as yet, in spite of what is going on in Germany, so far, there has been absolutely no indication in the official dispatches to the department that Germany has violated the agreement arrived at in the Sussex case. Reports of the sinking of nearly 300 merchant ships since June 1 have been received officially, but in no case has it been proved that American lives were endangered. Until such proof is at hand, the situation will remain just as it has been since May 8, when the American reply was sent accepting Germany's repudiation, offer of reparation and assurances for the future in the Sussex case.

Emphatic denials that Germany has any intention of re-opening a relentless campaign of submarine warfare are contained in confidential advices from Berlin, to diplomatic quarters here.

The chancellor's latest speech is not interpreted in some quarters as foreshadowing his conversion to ruthless submarine activity, for it is pointed out that he may well hold that Germany is now gaining all that can possibly be gained from her submarine weapon.

Others, however, are inclined to take the opposite view, believing that the chancellor has been won over to the Von Tirpitz party. They argue that with the gradual crushing in of the German lines and the increased realization that England is the super-enemy in Germany will become irresistible to strike in every way possible.

It was reiterated again today that Ambassador Gerard, now on his way to the United States for a vacation, had not been summoned home from Berlin to discuss the submarine or any other issue.

REACHES DELAWARE CAPES

German Cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich Enters Delaware Bay.

Delaware Breakwater, Del., Oct. 1.—The German cruiser Prinz Eitel Friederich, one of the two German ships interned at Norfolk, arrived off the Delaware capes early this morning on her way to the Philadelphia navy yard. The cruiser is being convoyed by the battleship Minnesota.

The Kronprinz Wilhelm, the other interned cruiser on her way to Philadelphia, has not yet passed in the capes.

BUCHAREST ADMITS RETREAT

Rumanians Were Attacked on All Sides at Hermannstadt.

Bucharest, Sept. 30, (via London, Oct. 1).—The retreat of the Rumanians from the Hermannstadt district is admitted in the official communication from headquarters. The Rumanians were attacked on all sides at Sibia, otherwise known as Hermannstadt, the statement says, and retreated southward after fighting their way through enemy forces attacking from the south.

ANOTHER REPORT OF CAPTURE OF BREMEN

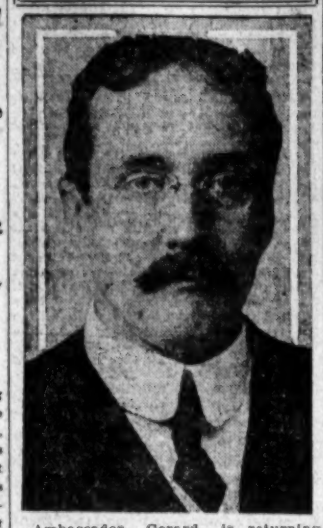
Vessel Is Said to Have Been Seen In British Naval Yard

Report Says It Was Captured in Steel Net—Some High American Military Officials Place Credence in the Story.

Washington, Sept. 30.—Another report of the capture of the German submarine Bremen reached official circles here today from unofficial, but usually reliable sources.

Acording to this account, which is given credence by some high military officers, the Bremen was seen three weeks ago at the big British naval yard at Rosyth, on the east coast of Scotland, having been captured in one of the steel nets recently used with such success by Great Britain against underwater craft.

AMBASSADOR GERARD.



Ambassador Gerard is returning home from Berlin. There is a report current to the effect that he is coming to discuss the renewed demand in Germany for the resumption of submarine warfare.

NEW YORK CAR STRIKE APPARENTLY A FAILURE

Service On All Lines Affected Again Nearly Normal

Double Pay for Loyal Employes of Subway and Elevated Lines Ceased Last Midnight, It is Announced.

New York, Sept. 30.—Double pay for the employes of the subway and elevated lines, who have remained loyal during the strike of the unionized workers, ceased at midnight tonight, according to an announcement of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company.

Motormen and conductors on the surface cars of the New York Railways Company, it was announced, will receive double play until further notice, while employes in other departments of the company will be treated similarly to the workers on the subway and elevated lines.

The strike apparently has failed, according to the reports of the police, which show that service on all lines affected is again nearly normal.

"SIMPLE STYLE SOCIETY"

That Is What Kinston Lawyer Wants to See Organized—Tells Why

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 30.—James Powers, a local lawyer, would like to see a "simple style society" organized. If some person of national reputation, with ability to lead, were to put such a movement to going it would be a success, Mr. Powers believes. He has noticed with growing alarm the increasing prices of feminine apparel. He is not married, but has a deep sympathy for his less fortunate brothers. He declares that if the element of envy could be removed from human nature the world would be happeir than by any other thing that could happen.

"Extravagance in dress is the biggest menace to the country today. I recall how sweet country lassies used to look in dresses that any woman of the middle class would scoff at now, because they cost so ridiculously little."

Not all women are so eager to surpass their fair friends in matters of style, however; there are a few isolated exceptions, he believes. For instance, Mark Twain visited an English church in a German city. A plainly-dressed woman there excited his sympathy. Every one in the church stared at the neatly but cheaply attired woman. Even the minister in the pulpit directed his gaze to her a little too frequently, it seemed to Mark. His imagination led him to believe that some of the worshippers even were sneering at her, the poor soul. But when the service was over and the little woman in black, with no vestige of jewelry and wearing the previous year's style, arose to leave, the congregation remained in their places until she had passed demurely out. She was the empress.

PROBABLY FATALLY HURT.

Virginia Man May Die as Result of Race Track Accident.

New York, Sept. 30.—Percy Evans, of Warrenton, Va., was probably fatally injured when a horse named Association, which he rode in the third race of the last day of the meeting of the United Hunters' Racing Association at Belmont Park terminal today, crashed into a hurdle and fell. Evans is in a hospital at Flushing, Long Island, with two vertebrae in his neck fractured and the surgeons have little hope for his recovery.

Philadelphia, Sept. 30.—A field goal in the last few minutes by Williams gave Pennsylvania victory today over West Virginia University, 2 to 0. A long forward pass and good line plunges by West Virginia brought the ball to Pennsylvania's 16-yard line. With one down left, West Virginia tried a short forward pass. Hutchinson caught the ball at the goal line, but a Pennsylvanian threw him back. A few minutes later Williams booted the field goal from the 25-yard line.

TEUTONS IN CENTRAL TRANSYLVANIA SCORE A DECISIVE VICTORY

Defeated Rumanian Forces in a Strategic Move by Which They Were Surrounded.

BATTLE RAGED THREE DAYS

Rumanians Suffered Heavy Losses and Are Now Reported to be Fleeing in Disorder.

LITTLE CHANGE IN FRANCE

No New Decision by Germany Concerning Submarine Warfare.

Troops of the Central Powers, under the command of General von Falkenhayn, former chief of the German general staff, have gained a decisive victory over the Rumanian invaders of central Transylvania. The Rumanians were crushed between two forces in a battle which raged for three days. After suffering heavy losses, the invaders are reported fleeing in disorder into the mountains.

Rumanians Surrounded.

The defeat of the Rumanians was brought about by a strategic move, virtually impossible on the western battle front. General von Falkenhayn divided his force of Germans and Austro-Hungarians. While one body engaged the invaders around Hermannstadt, the other encircled the Rumanians and seized Rothenthurm pass, in the mountains, 15 miles southeast of Hermannstadt and one of the first points gained by the Rumanians in their advance.

Both forces then pressed in upon the Rumanians, composed of sections of the first Rumanian army. Bavarian troops holding Rothenthurm checked an advance by the second Rumanian army, which attempted to come to the aid of its surrounded comparriots. Berlin reports that a large amount of booty was taken, as well as prisoners.

In eastern Transylvama the Rumanians also suffered a repulse. Their attack in the region of Szekely Vovarhely was checked and a German attack in the same section resulted in the capture of 600 prisoners.

Little Change on Somme Front.

Fighting continues on the Somme front but with little change in the positions of the combatants. The Germans continue their counter attacks around Thiepval. Further south the French have made an advance north of Rancourt, driving their wedge in the German lines there. Berlin reports the repulse of British attacks on this front.

During September the British in their advance on the Somme front lost almost 120,000 officers and men. This is at the rate of 3,800 a day, but falls below the daily human cost for August. Since the offensive began, figures published in London show that the British have lost approximately 300,000 men in their efforts to break the German defenses. No important changes in Macedonia, in Dobrudja, on the Austro-Italian front or on the Eastern front are announced. Fighting continues at various points on all those fronts, except in Dobrudja where Field Marshal von Mackensen and the Russo-Rumanian forces apparently are waiting developments in other quarters.

No New Decision by Germany.

The Overseas News Agency, a semi-official news bureau in Berlin, announces that it is stated on "competent authority" that Germany has reached no new decision concerning submarine warfare. The statement from the news agency minimizes the articles appearing in German newspapers regarding American aviators serving with the Entente Allies and declares that the German government does not consider such acts as breaches of neutrality.

ROOSEVELT URGES HUGHES' ELECTION

Addresses Audience Which Fills a Huge Circus Tent at Battle Creek, Mich.

ASSAILS WILSON'S RECORD

Refers to Sinking of Lusitania as Most Colossal "Murder" of Non-Combatants by Any Civilized Power Within Century.

Battle Creek, Mich., Sept. 30.—Speaking to an audience which filled a huge circus tent here this afternoon, Theodore Roosevelt assailed the administrative record of President Wilson and urged the election of Charles E. Hughes. When the former president entered the tent he was given a wild ovation.

Climbing on a table on the spenker's platform the Colonel read his prepared address which was devoted almost entirely to an attack on President Wilson's foreign and Mexican policies and the latter's support of the Adamson 8-hour day bill.

Roosevelt declared that President Wilson's chief policy was the policy of vacillation. He declared the President in "fifteen messages, letters and speeches," made from December 9, 1914, to February 10, 1916, "took 41 different positions about preparedness and the measures necessary to secure it, and each of these 41 positions contradicted from one to six of the others." The European policy of President Wilson, particularly in the Lusitania case, was referred to as "humiliating and ignoble."

The Mexican record of the executive was called "ruinous to Mexico, dishonorable to ourselves and infamous from the standpoint of humanity."

Discussing the Adamson bill, Mr. Roosevelt charged that President Wilson in urging passage of the measure by Congress "took his orders from that one of the parties which he most feared."

The Colonel referred to the torpedoing of the Lusitania by a German submarine as "the most colossal single instance of the murder of non-combatants, including men, women and children, that had been perpetrated by any power calling itself civilized, for over a century."

"I have been asked what I would have done if I had been President when the Lusitania was torpedoed," shouted the speaker. "I would instantly have taken possession of every German ship interned in this country and then I would have said: 'Now, we will discuss, not what we will give, but what we will give back'."

This utterance received wild applause.

"Let President Wilson apply that sacred 8-hour day law to the servants in the White House and see how far he'll get," said Roosevelt.

Roosevelt closed his address with a plea for the election of Charles E. Hughes. He urged the voters to "repudiate Mr. Wilson because only by so doing, can they save America from that taint of gross selfishness and cowardice which we owe to Mr. Wilson's substitution of adroit elocution for straight forward action."

FOUND BURGLAR IN HOUSE.

Negro Arrested at Wadesboro Charged With Grave Crime.

Wadesboro, N. C. September 30. — When Mr. Joe Hardison entered his room in the home of his brother, Mr. Kenneth Hardison, last night, he found a burglar, who had gained access through the front window, the family being absent at the time. Upon Mr. Hardison's entering through this front window, the burglar ran through the door into the hall, and through the room of Mrs. Hardison and out a back window. Mr. Hardison was in hot pursuit, and landed an ineffective blow as the burglar cleadred the window. A negro employed at the oil mill located near the Hardison residence and where Mr. Hardison is employed, heard the superintendent 'phone to Mr. and Mrs. Hardison and invite them to tea with him. This fact, together with the finding of a hat identified as that of the negro mentioned, caused his arrest, and he is now lodged in the county jail. It being dark in the house, Mr. Hardison could not identify the burglar.

WAGES INCREASED

Employes of Hosiery Mills Get Raise of 7 1-2 Per Cent.

Durham, N. C., Sept. 30.—It was announced here today that 3,000 employees of eight hosiery mills in Durham, High Point and other nearby North Carolina cities have been given an increase in wages amounting to 7 1-2 per cent., the increase being effective next Monday. The mills operate 60,000 spindles.

CAR STRIKE IN ATLANTA.

Some Crews Abandon Cars, But Service Continues About Normal.

Atlanta, Ga., September 30. — A strike of street car employees was called at 6 o'clock here tonight by a recently organized branch of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America. Some crews abandoned their cars, but generally the service continued almost normal.

IMPENDING TROUBLE FROM OYSTER "PIRATES" QUELLED

Trial of Eleven Tongers is Delayed Until October 9th.

Newport News, Va., Sept. 30.—Reports from Saxis Island today stated that the arrival of the Commodore Maury, flagship of the Virginia oyster fleet, had equalled impending trouble resulting from the arrest of 11 tongers on charges of poaching on private beds. The cases of the tongers today were continued until October 9 when called in Accomac county. The Commodore Maury was ordered to Hampton Roads to protect private oyster beds and preserve order following the show of fight made by the alleged pirates and their friends when the former were placed under arrest.

HUGE TOBACCO SALES

During September 2,879,927 Pounds Were Sold at Danville, Va.

Danville, Va., Sept. 30.—R. L. Dibrell, president of the Danville Tobacco Association, announces that during September the amount of tobacco sold here was 2,879,927 pounds, at an average price of $15.84 per 100 pounds, bringing a total of $456,354.87. In September, 1915, 345,533 pounds were sold, averaging $6.87. This week brought sales of approximately 1,136,000 pounds.

COAL LIKELY TO COST $1 MORE PER TON HERE

Prices Have Jumped 50 Per Cent. at Mines Over Last Year's.

Local Dealers Expect Increased Price Will Be Put Into Effect When Present Stocks are Exhausted—No Raise Here Yet.

Wilmingtonians will probably have to pay a dollar more a ton for their coal this winter, owing to an advance of approximately 50 per cent. at the mines, according to local coal dealers. The increase in the price is due to an almost unprecedented domestic and export demand, while the continued shortage of coal cars for transportation is causing buyers to pay premiums for guarantee of prompt delivery.

Mr. Daniel H. Penton, vice-president of the Springer Coal Company, made the following statement last night with reference to the coal situation:

"Conditions both as to the supply of coal and shortage of cars for hauling coal from the mines to local markets have tightened up considerably within the past two weeks. There is no improvement anywhere along the line.

"Prices owing to the great demand have advanced approximately 50 per cent. on the ton at the mines. This will mean that the local prices to the consumer will probably be increased about $1 on the ton over what was paid last year when our present stock is exhausted. We have not yet increased our prices.

"We have been working strenuously throughout the summer to store as much coal as could possibly be gotten, which with the winter setting in would be exhausted in four to six weeks. Then, of course, we would be subjected to the prevailing high prices.

"Freight rates on coal used here varies from $2.05 a ton on steam coal from West Virginia points to $4.25 on domestic coal from the mines in Pennsylvania.

"So far as our company is concerned, we are going to have coal at some price. We now have a sufficient supply on hand to supply our customers for six weeks or more. If we can continue to secure coal there should be no shortage here."

Mr. B. A. Merritt, local dealer in coal, was also of the opinion that the price of coal to the consumer in Wilmington would probably be increased nearly $1 a ton, due to the higher prices charged by the operators at the mines.

Mr. Merritt has just received advices from Norfolk from a person in close touch with the situation which shows that Pocahontas steam coal is selling there freely at 50 per cent above last year's prices.

This dealer wrote that the indications were that the price of Pocahontas steam coal would go still higher. He added that he had never seen things in such a shape before, the whole situation being complicated by the fact that deliveries were bound to be very uncertain owing to the shortage of coal cars and extraordinary domestic and export demand.

According to the last issue of the Coal Trade Journal the retail demand for anthracite at Philadelphia is gaining in intensity as the cold weather approaches, and the dealers are also making still greater efforts to get stocked up. Buyers at some points are offering substantial premiums to shippers in a condition to guarantee prompt delivery.

Domestic lump coal according to this journal, is quoted at the mines at $2.30. Freight to Wilmington amounts to about $2.20 a ton, while 50 cents extra is charged for delivery. Steam coal at the mines is bringing $2 to $2.50 a ton.

Mine run is selling in the Pittsburg district at $1.85, and screened coal at $2 a ton at the mines. Slack is selling as high as $1.70 net. Exports have taken a decided spurt, while the demand created by the extraordinary activity of steel mills and other industrial establishments has greatly increased the domestic demand.

Athens, Ga., Sept. 30.—Playing in mid-season form, the Citadal surprised the Georgia University football holding the Crackers 6 to 0 in the opening game of the season here today. Georgia's played was ragged throughout.

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with the party of which the progressives have the control.

"I am a progressive, I do not spell it with a capital P, but I think my pace is just as fast as those who do, it does not interfere with the running, and I am very much astonished to see the company that some gentlemen who spell their names with a capital are keeping. They are engaged in the interesting enterprise of trying to capture a party which is fortified against them, and refusing to enter a party which is already captured by those who believe in their principles.

Republicans a Motley Crowd.

"But you will notice that a party that merely wants control does not have to have any principles. Look over the ranks of the supporters of the Republican party. Did you ever see a more motley company in your life? Did you ever see elements so absolutely contradictory of each other as the elements of that party? If they moved in any direction, they would have to move in many directions, and if I am trying to get into power by the support of people that do not agree with one another, it is very dangerous for me to profess my own opinion.

"Back of that party are those who want to inject into our politics, the politics of Europe; but not all who have purpose in mind are on the same side.

"Some want to inject these politics, in order to move in one direction, and others want to inject them in order to move in exactly the opposite direction. In these circumstances, it is not wise to announce your direction. Some of them are progressives, or were, and profess themselves dissatisfied with the present leadership and guidance of the party, and others are so well satisfied with it that they are afraid that the entrance of this new element will disturb some of their favorite plans, and so, looking at each other with suspicion. They have only one enthusiasm, and that is the enthusiasm to 'get in.' * * *

The Only Inference.

"Unfortunately, however, one thing has become reasonably clear my fellow citizens, and it is a very serious thing, indeed. * * * Am I not right that we must draw the conclusion that if the Republican party is put into power at the next election our foreign policy will be radically changed? I cannot draw any other inference. All our present foreign policy is wrong, they say; and if it is wrong, and they are men of conscience, they must change it, and if they are going to change it, in what direction are they going to change it? There is only one choice as against peace, and that is war! Some of the success of the Republican party gerat body of the supporters of that party, outspokenly declare that they want war, so that the certain prospect of the success of the Republican partty is that we shall be drawn in one form or other into the embroilments of the European war, and that to the south of us the force of the United States will be used to produce in Mexico the kind of law and order which some American investors in Mexico consider most to their advantage.

Hindrance to Foreign Relations.

"I do not find that anybody else's counsel is taken in respect of the policy that this country should pursue with regard to Mexico, except those who have hitherto acted as the counsellors for the vested interests in Mexico. The whole country is acquainted with the gentlemen who have been consulted. There is no concealment, even by themselves, whose attorneys they are, that they have talked to me. I know exactly what they want. I have declined to give it to them, and now they are going where they think they can get it. And there is every indication, on the surface, at any rate, that their calculation is well founded. There is a more serious aspect even than that. There is an immediate result of this thing my fellow citizens. From this time until the seventh of November it is going to be practically impossible for the present administration to handle any critical matter concerning our foreign relations, because all foreign statesmen are waiting to see which way the election goes, and in the meantime they know that settlements will be inconclusive.

"The conference which is being held with regard to Mexican affairs is embarrassed every day by the apparent evidence which is being produced that hostility to Mexico is being traded upon by one of the great political parties.

Final Choice to be Made.

"And the one thing I want to lay emphasis upon in this connection is this: That a great, fundamental, final choice with regard to our foreign relationships is to be made on the seventh of November. Some young men ought to be interested in that; some men who want to see the future cleared of the passion which governs the present ought to be interested in that. Men who love to see a great, peaceful force expended by America for the service of the world, ought to be interested in that."

Republican Promise Unkept.

President Wilson said that it was singular that this should have been the only thing disclosed by the opposition, and that he "suspected" that they were well satisfied with many of the things that have been done in domestic legislation. He then referred to the Federal Reserve banking system as enabling American business men to take up 50 per cent. of the American securities held abroad, and then asserted that the Republicans had long promised to revise the country's currency system, but had failed to do so, even though great expense had been contracted in an inquiry and an exhaustive report made by the investigating body named by the Republicans.

Wall Street Controlled Treasury.

The President asserted that "until the present administration, Wall Street controlled the Treasury of the United States."

Mr. Wilson declared that he made this assertion out of his own personal knowledge, declaring, "why it even had a desk in the Treasury Department." Since the present administration began, he continued, many men of Wall Street had refused invitations to lay before the President what they thought ought to be done, but they would not receive that kind of an invitation. "They wanted to be sent for and they wanted to be reasonably certain before they went that their advice would be taken," continued Mr. Wilson.

"Such assistance as the Treasury of the United States can legitimately extend in times of financial stress used always to be extended to Wall Street," the President continued.

Assistance Extended to Country.

"Now it is extended to the country. It was no doubt shocking to see the money deposited in country banks and not in Wall Street, but the country banks knew how to use it and they were very much nearer the great masses of the people who need it than were the great depositaries of financial resources in New York. * * *

"The gentlemen in Wall Street have suffered another inconvenience. They used to be able to do a great deal in the way of legislation by means of a lobby the peple knew very little about, and the lobby, thank God, has disappeared. * * * I mean the lobby that uses influence and not argument, that used inducement and not fact, that understands some special interests and does not give a cent for the general interest. That is the lobby I mean, and the little cowards scuttled the minute they were mentioned. I had only to say in a casual interview with the representatives of the press that there was such a lobby, when all at once the rats began to scuttle.

"So the instrumentalities of control have been destroyed, and the object of the present nampaign on one side is to rehabilitate them.

Lieutenants of Mark Hanna.

"The lieutenants of Mark Hanna have returned to authority and the lieutenants of Mark Hanna represent the lhoices, the determinations, and so much as we can conjecture, the policy of the Republican party. What they want to do is to get control and then determine the policy in private conference.

"We are not going to be taken into their confidence. It would not be wise for them to take us into their confidence. They want to control, possess. Those are the magic words for them.

"What it is our imperative duty to do, my fellow citizens, is to make everybody we know, know what the Democratic party stands for and what it intends to do. It has begun a great process of liberalization for the business of this country and it intends to strengthen that system at every point, extend it wherever it needs extension, strengthen and fortify it against all attacks and once for all make good the domination of the American people in their own affairs. On that programme we are challengers to all comers. We have shown our hand. It cannot be doubted."

BUBONIC PLEAGUE AND BLACK PLAGUE OF THE MIDDLE AGES

Many Die of Disease for Which They Try to Find a Remedy.

It is a remarkable fact, confirmed by many observations, that many physicians who have devoted considerable labor to the study of a particular disease have themselves died of that disease. One of the most interesting examples is that of John Daniel Major, born August 16, 1634, in Breslau, a physician and naturalist of no mean ability. Bitte nearly by the wanderlust, he studied at Wittenburg, took courses at many of the schools in Germany, and finally went to Italy where he received the degree of doctor of medicine at Padua in 1660. Returning to his own country, he resided for a short time in Silesia, and in 1661 married at Mittenburg, Margaret Dorothy, a daughter of the celebrated Sennert. The following year, his young wife was stricken with plague and died after an illness of eight days. Distracted by his loss, Major wandered up and down Europe studying plague wherever he found it in the hope that he might discover a cure for the disease which had bereaved him. Spain, Germany, France and Russia were visited by him. He settled in 1665 in Kiel, where he was made professor of botany and the directo rof the botanical gardens. He made frequent voyages, however, always in quest of the remedy for plague. Finally in 1692, he was called ot Stockhalm to treat the quee nof Charles XI, then il with plagua. But before he could render her any service, he contracted the disease and died on the third of August.

The bubonic plague of today is identical with the black death of the Middle Ages. Primarily a disease of rodents caused by a short dumb-bell shaped microscopic vegetable, the pest bacillus, it occurs in man in three forms; the pneumonic, which has a death rate of almost 100 per cent; the septicaemic, which is nearly as fatal, and the bubonic in which even with the most modern methods of treatment the mortality is about 50 per cent. It is a disease of commerce, spreading around the globe in the body of the ship-borne rat. It is estimated that every case of human plague costs the municipality in which it occurs at least $7,500. This does not take into account the enormous loss due to disastrous quarantines and the commercial paralysis which the fear of the disease so frequently produces.

The disease is now treated by a serum discovered through the genius of Yersin. This is used in much the same way as is diphtheria antitoxin.

Plague is transferred from the sick rodent to the well man by fleas. The sick rat has enormous numbers of plague bacilli in its blood. The blood is taken by flea which, leaving the sick rat, seeks refuge and sustenance on the body of a human being to whom it transfers the infection.

ELECTRICITY USED ON THE SUBMARINE LINER DEUTCHLAND

Without It She Could Hardly Have Crossed the Atlantic.

There was little mention made in the public press of the part that electricity played in making possible the plucky journey of the merchantile submarine "Deutchland," from her home port in Germany to Baltimore, a distance of 3,800 miles, in 16 days. Yet without her storage batteries and propelling motors enabling her to navigate beneath the surface, and full equipment of electric winches, lights and wireless, naval engineers agree that the voyage would have been regarded as foolhardy, if not impossible.

During her voyage, most of which was made on the surface, the "Deutchland" was propelled by two crude oil engines. In addition to urepelling the craft on the surface these engines were connected to electric generators to keep the storage gatteries in the bottom of the boat fully charged. Even while running on the surface the electric current was of importance in lighting the interior, forcing fresh air in the living quarters, and operating the wireless. Electric winches were also used for raising and lowering the anchor and loading cargo and supplies.

When danger threatened and strange ships were sighted the Deutchland was submerged, and it was then that the electric machinery was depended upon entirely to propel her beneath the water out of the danger one. On such occasions the oil engines were shut down and a supply of current from the storage batteries used to operate two electric motors attached to propellers. In this way, according to Captain Koenig, the submarine could travel t distance of 100 miles without rising to the surface to recharge the storage cells. On the voyage to America the submarine was submerged for a total ly patrolledtain)tttahocal ....Vtaonn distance of 90 miles, most of which was necessary in passing through the closely patrolled North Sea. Her captain stated that on one occasion the boat was submerged to the bottom, and (in submarine phraseology) "went to sleep" for several hours.

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YANKEES UNABLE TO SCORE OFF RED SOX

Boston Wins in Tenth Inning of a Hard Struggle.

White Sox Take Both Games From Indians—Athletics and Senators Divide Honors—Tigers Defeat Browns.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Cleveland 2-3; Chicago 7-7.
At Philadelphia 6-10; Washington 8-9
At Boston 1; New York 0.
At St. Louis 7; Detroit 10.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	90	61	.596
Chicago	88	64	.579
Detroit	87	66	.569
New York	77	74	.510
St. Louis	78	75	.510
Cleveland	77	75	.507
Washington	76	75	.503
Philadelphia	35	116	.232

Boston, Sept. 30.—Boston shut out New York 1 to 0 in a 10-inning game today. For nine innings Cullop, the opposing pitcher, had held the Red Sox scoreless, allowing only four hits. In the 10th Scott singled. Carrigan, intending to sacrifice, was safe on a bunt. Batting for Leonard, Thomas bunted successfully along the third base line. McNally, who ran for Scott, scored on Cooper's sacrifice fly.

New York	000 000 0000	0	6 1
Boston	000 000 0001	1	7 2

Cullop and Alexander; Leonard and Carrigan.

Cleveland, Sept. 30.—Chicago took both games from Cleveland today 7 to 2 and 7 to 3, the second game going to the 12th inning when Felsch hit for four bases with the sacks filled. Cleveland would have won but for errors by Wambsgans. Errors also were responsible for six of the seven runs scored by Chicago in the first game, the other being scored on a triple steal executed by E. Collins, Jackson and Felsch. Roth also stole home.

Cleveland	000 002 000	2	6 4
Chicago	000 001 030	7	10 0

Bagby, Beebe, Gould and DeBerry; Russell and Lapp.

Second game:

Chicago	000 120 000 004	7	11 0
Cleveland	000 002 001 000	3	8 4

Williams, Cicotte and Lynn; Boehling, Gould, Coumbe, Smith and O'Neill and DeBerry.

Philadelphia, Sept. 30.—Philadelphia lost the first game to Washington 8 to 6 today and won the second 10 to 9. Washington won the first by scoring four times in the ninth inning by knocking Seibold out of the box while Philadelphia duplicated this feat in the ninth inning of the final game by hammering four runs over and driving Ayres and Thomas from the rubber. Rice, who made six hits in the two games, featured in the hitting for Washington, while Thrasher, the Atlanta Southern League player, led the Mackmen with five hits, including three doubles, a triple and single.

Washington	010 300 004	8	13 4
Philadelphia	110 003 100	6	12 1

Thomas, Goodwin, Gallia, Ayres and Henry; Siebold, Nabors and Schang.

Second game:

Washington	320 100 003	9	13 1
Philadelphia	020 000 404	10	13 3

Ayers, Thomas, Shaw and Henry; Parnham and Schang.

St. Louis, Sept. 30.—Detroit defeated St. Louis 10 to 0 in a loosely played, hard hitting contest today. The visitors hammered four pitchers for a total of 14 hits. Cobb starred with a triple, a double and two singles in five times up. He also scored three runs.

Detroit	005 100 202	10	14 5
St. Louis	010 020 130	7	10 3

Boland and Baker; Koog, McCabe, Hamilton, Finchar and Hartley.

A. & M. DEFEATS ROANOKE AT RALEIGH BY 13 TO 3 SCORE.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 30.—In a game in which A. & M. was clearly outplayed in the first half, Roanoke was defeated on Riddick field this afternoon by a score of 13 to 3. In the first quarter, the Virginians recovered a blocked punt and kicked a goal from placement on the 30-yard line.

A. & M. came back strong in the second half and by a series of line plunges, end runs and well executed forward passes, registered two touchdowns.

Pierson, Van Brocklin, Rice, Lee and Captain McDougall were easily the stars for A. & M., while Boham, J. Easter, Bunting and S. Boham played the best ball for Roanoke. Line-up:

A. & M.		Roanoke
McDougall (c)	LE	Chapman
Lawrence	LT	Easter
Kirkpatrick	LG	Cadwallader
Lee	C	Hull
Homewood	RG	Bushong
Cook	RT	S. Boham
Seifert	RE	Smith
Rice	QB	Bunting
Pierson	LH	J. Boham
VanBrocklin	FB	Krieger
Baughan	RH	Hollingsworth

Touch-downs, Van Brocklin 1, Rice 1; goals after touch-down, Rice 1; goal from placement, Bunting; Referee Henderson, Ohio Wesleyan; umpire, Simpson, Baylor; head linesmen, John Bray, A. & M.; time of quarters, 15 minutes.

NAVY AND DICKINSON FAIL TO SCORE IN OPENING GAME

Annapolis, Md., Sept. 30.—Neither Navy nor Dickinson scored in the opening game of the football season here today. The visitors did not show much strength and the midshipmen displayed poor judgment at several critical points. Roberts, star of last year's Colgate team, now on the Navy backfield, carried off the honors of the game.

SCHOOL SHOES BUILT FOR Service—Peterson and Rulfs. (Advertisement.)

Carolina Defeats Baptists 20 To 0

'VARSITY DEFENSE STRONG AND OFFENSIVE AGGRESSIVE—FOLGER POSSIBLY STAR OF OPENING GAME.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., Sept. 30.—Playing under ideal weather conditions before a crowd of 2,500 students and visitors, the Carolina football squad defeated Wake Forest here today 20 to 0. The 'varsity defense was strong and the offense aggressive. Not once in the 36 minutes of play did the Baptists make first down. Folger was possibly star of the game.

Three new men, Harrell, guard, and Bellamy and Fitzsimmons, half backs, also showed great promise. Bellamy made first and second touchdowns; Folger third.

After a series of line plunges, Fitzsimmons carried the ball around the goal posts for the first touchdown in the second quarter. Tandy kicked goal. In third quarter Folger punted 35 yards and the ball rolled 20 more. With the ball on their 20-yard line, Wake Forest made four unsuccessful attempts to advance. The ball went over and on first play Folger went around the end for 11 yards, Fitzsimmons over center for seven and Bellamy over center for a touchdown. Goal failed. In the fourth quarter, receiving the ball on the 30-yard line, Folger made a beautiful 70-yard broken field run which, however, netted only 25 yards because the speedy back went a few inches out of bounds at the 45-yard line. Again after a series of line plunges and end runs Folger on a fake play carried the ball around right end for a touchdown. Tandy kicked goal. The line-up:

N. Carolina		Wake Forest
Love	FE	Harris
Tayloe	LT	Tatum
Harrell	LG	Olive
Tandy (c)	C	Langston
Ingram	RG	G.Shaw
Ramsey	RT	McKnight
Proctor	RE	Jordan
Johnson	QB	Champion
Bellamy	LH	Tichener
Fitzsimmons	RH	R.Pace
Folger	FB	Parker (c)

Substitutes—For Wake Forest, W. Shaw, Blizzard, J. Pace; for Carolina, Holbrook, Currie, Borden, Crawford, Pearson, Price, Davis, Clarvoe, Black, Tannant, Coleman, Williams. Officials, Broughton, referee; Garver, Washington and Lee, umpire; Thompson, Carolina, head linesman; attendance 2,500.

Davidson Defeated But Proves Strong

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA WINS GRIDIRON STRUGGLE 14 TO 0. SURPRISED AT PRESBYTERIANS' STRENGTH.

Charlottesville, Va., Sept. 30.—Davidson College gave Virginia a surprisingly hard fight in the opening game of the football season here today, the 'varsity winning by a margin of two touchdowns, which came in the first ten minutes of play. Goals were kicked each time, the final score being 14 to 0.

Not only did the Carolinians hold Virginia after the first period, but in the last period they advanced the ball to the Orange and Blue's 15 yard line, where an attempted field goal was missed.

The line-up:

Virginia	Position	Davidson
Hager	LE	B. Walker
Ward	LT	Finlay
Coleman	LG	Gray
Churchman	C	B. White
McKay	RG	Safard
Blakeley	RT	T. White
Goodwin	RE	Flower
J. White	QB	Keester
Carrington	LB	C. Walker
Gooch	RB	McAllister
Sparr	FB	Laird

Score by periods:

Virginia	14	0	0	0	—14
Davidson	0	0	0	0	— 0

Summary: Referee, McWhorter, Georgia. Umpire Smith, Washington and Lee. Head linesman, Leach, Tennessee. Time of periods, 10 and 12 minutes. Touch downs, Carrington. Gooch. Goals from touchdown, Carrington 2. Substitutions: Virginia—Darwin for Hagar, Russell for McKay, Calvert for Russell, Stewart for Blakeley, Carnick for Goodwin, Leach for Carnick, Wageneknight for J. White, Pace for Carrington. Davidson—Shaw for Finlay, Crouch for Shaw, Pharr for Gray, Paisley for Pharr, Lawson for Flower, Black for McAllister, Burns for Laird.

PRINCETON HELD SCORELESS BY THE HOLY CROSS ELEVEN

Worcester, Mass., Sept. 30.—Holy Cross held Princeton to a 21 to 0 score today. Moore and Driggs scored in the first period and Driggs scored the last touchdown eary in the second period. Moore kicked all the goas. The Holy Cross line did not offer much opposition to the heavy Tigers early in the game, but came back strong in the second half, and held them scoreless.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACING AT COLUMBUS COMES TO AN END

Columbus, O., Sept. 30.—Nineteen runs were required to complete Columbus Grand Circuit racing this afternoon, that was featured by Areta V's victory over Queen Hal in the 2:11 pace. The latter was the favorite.

New York, Sept. 30.—Driving 250 miles without a stop, Johnny Aitken, of Indianapolis, won the Astor Cup race and $10,000 on the Sheepshead Bay speedway this afternoon at 2:23:04.02, a new world's record for the distance. His average speed was 104.3 miles an hour.

SUPERBAS ARE STILL IN THE FIRST PLACE

Lose First Game to Phillies, But Capture the Second.

Braves Break Giants' Winning Streak by Winning One of Two Games. Reds Win Twice—Cubs Defeat the Cardinals.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Brooklyn 2-6; Philadelphia 7-1.
At New York 4-3; Boston 0-8.
At Pittsburg 4-3; Cincinnati 5-5.
At Chicago 8; St. Louis 4.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Pittsburg at Cincinnati.
St. Louis at Chicago.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	91	59	.607
Philadelphia	89	58	.605
Boston	85	61	.582
New York	85	63	.574
Chicago	66	85	.437
Pittsburg	65	87	.428
St. Louis	60	92	.395
Cincinnati	59	93	.389

Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 30.—Brooklyn came back this afternoon by hitting Alexander hard and won from Philadelphia 6 to 1, thereby regaining first place after losing it by dropping the morning game to Philadelphia 7 to 2. Alexander lost because Brooklyn could hit him when hits were needed, while the visitors were unable to hit Marquard effective after the first inning, when Paskert singled, took second on a bak, third on Bancroft's sacrifice and scored on Stock's out.

Alexander retired from the game when Dugey batted for him in the eighth and fanned. Brooklyn made four hits and two runs off Kantlehner, a recruit.

Dave Bancroft twisted his ankle so badly when he stepped on first after his sacrifice in the first inning that he had to quit. He was helped off the field and will not play again this season. Stock moved from third to short and did sensational work, while Byrne played well at third. Both teams fielded erratically.

Luderus' batting was a big feature in the morning game. Rixey was master in the pinches while Pfeffer was hit hard.

Morning game:

Philadelphia	110 011 030	7	3 3
Brooklyn	001 000 010	2	5 1

Rixey and Killifer; Pfeffer and Miller.

Afternoon game:

Philadelphia	100 000 000	1	3 3
Brooklyn	100 011 12*	6	15 1

Alexander and Killifer; Marquard and J. Meyers.

New York, Sept. 30.—After Rube Benton had shut out Boston in the first game of a double header four to nothing for New York's 26th straight victory, the great winning streak of the home team was broken in the second game which Boston won 8 to 3.

A pair of home runs stopped New York in the seventh inning of the second game. J. Smith hit a home run into the left field bleachers and Magee duplicated the hit a moment later. In the first game, Rube Benton twirled almost perfect ball. He allowed only one hit and only 28 men faced him. The scores:

Boston	000 000 000	0	1 1
New York	000 000 22*	4	9 1

Rudolph and Gowdy; Benton and McCarty.

Second game:

Boston	000 200 501	8	13 3
New York	000 020 100	3	8 2

Tyler and Blackburn; Sallee, Tesreau, Anderson, G. Smith and McCarty.

Pittsburg, Sept. 30.—Cincinnati won both games of a double header here today, the first by a score of 5 to 4 and the second 5 to 3. The first game was poorly played. In the ninth the visitors won on Rousch's pass, his steal of second and Chase's hit. In the second game Bigbee's three errors entered largely into the scoring by Cincinnati while Knetzer received good support.

Cincinnati	200 020 001	5	10 4
Pittsburg	000 000 210	4	10 5

Mitchell and Huhn; Mamaux and Schmidt, W. Wagner.

Second game:

Cincinnati	100 301 000	5	7 0
Pittsburg	000 200 100	3	6 4

Knetzer and Huhn; Grimes, Evans and Wagner.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Deal's double when the bases were filled enabed Chicago to defeat St. Louis today 8 to 4. In the fifth Chicago bunched five hits off Meadows two of which were doubles, one by Mann and the other by Deal which cleared the bases. This coupled with an error by Hornsby, a wild pitch and a base on balls was enough to win.

St. Louis	400 000 000	4	11 1
Chicago	000 060 20*	8	11 3

Meadows, Watson and Snyder; Hendrix, Packard and Wilson.

MINOR LEAGUES.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Minneapolis 2; St. Paul 14.
At Columbus 5; Indianapolis 4.
At Louisville 2; Toledo 9.
At Milwaukee 4-2; Kansas City 1-3.

GEORGIA TECH OVERWHELMS MERCER IN THE FIRST GAME

Atlanta, Sept. 30.—Georgia Tech overwhelmed Mercer in the first football game of the season here today, 61 to 0. Tech displayed nothing but straight football but the Jackets' speedy backs ran Mercer's end and broke Mercer's line at will.

Sewanee, Tenn., Sept. 30.—Displaying considerable drive in the backfield Sewanee slaughtered Cumberland this afternoon 107 to 0. Cumberland presented weak opposition and 16 touchdowns were made by the Tiger backs on straight football.

Phillies Are Half Game From Top

GAIN WHOLE GAME IN SERIES WITH SUPERBAS—BROOKLYN HAS 4 GAMES TO PLAY AND PHILLIES 6.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Brooklyn will begin its final series for its National League pennant against New York in first place by half a game ahead of Philadelphia. The net result of the three game series was the gain of a whole game by Philadelphia.

Brooklyn has four games yet to play, all with New York, and Philadelphia six to play with Boston in four days. Philadelphia cannot complete its whole schedule of 154 games. If both teams should win all their remaining games, their victories would be the same in number—95 each—but Brooklyn would have lost 59 and Philadelphia 58. Rain that would force cancellation of one of the New York-Brooklyn series would offset this advantage.

If Boston should sweep the series with Philadelphia while Brooklyn lost all four, Boston would win the flag. New York cannot win now. Standing:

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	91	59	.606
Philadelphia	89	58	.605
Boston	85	61	.582

The best Chicago can get in the American League is a tie. And even to tie they must win their two remaining games, both with Cleveland tomorrow, and Boston must lose its three remaining games, all with Philadelphia. The standing would be Boston 90 won, 64 lost. Chicago 90 won, 64 lost. Standing:

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	90	61	.596
Chicago	88	64	.578

FOOTBALL RESULTS.

At Chapel Hill, N. C.: Carolina 20, Wake Forest 0.

At Raleigh, N. C.: A. & M. 13, Roanoke 3.

At Charlottesville, Va.: Virginia 14, Davidson 0.

At Lexington, Va.: Washington & Lee 80, Randolph-Macon 0.

At West Point, N. Y.: Army 3, Lebanon 0.

At Clemson 7; Furman 6.

At Athens, Ga.: Georgia 6, Citadel 0.

At Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard 26, Bates 0.

At New, Haven, Conn.: Yale 25, Carnegie Tech 0.

At Philadelphia, Pa.: Pennsylvania 3, West Virginia 0.

At Worcester, Mass.: Princeton 21, Holy Cross 0.

At Annapolis, Md.: Navy 0, Dickinson 0.

At Williamburg, Va.: Wiliam and Mary 7, Union Theological 0.

At Lexington, Va.: V. M. I. 19, Hampden-Sydney 0.

At Allentown, Pa.: Muhlenburg College 85, Bloomsburg 0.

At Easton, Pa.: LaFayette 0; Fordham 0.

At New Brunswick, N. J.: Rutgers 33, Villanova 0.

At State College, Pa.: Penn State 55, Westminster 0.

At Lewisburg, Pa.: Bucknell 37, Albright 0.

At South Bethlehem, Pa.: Lehigh 21, Ursinus 0.

At Hartford, Conn.: Trinity 3, Norwich 0.

At Hamilton, N. Y.: Colgate 34, Susquehanna 0.

At Providence, R. I.: Brown 18, Rhode Island State 0.

At Washington, Pa.: Washington and Jefferson 53, Geneva 0.

At Chattanooga, Tenn.: University of Chattanooga 20, Middle Tennessee Normal 7.

At Atlanta, Ga.: Georgia Tech 61, Mercer 0.

At Montgomery, Ala: Auburn 6, Battery C, A. N. G. 0.

At Nashville, Tenn.: Vanderbilt 86, Southwestern Presbyterian University 0.

At Hanover, N. J.: Dartmouth 32, Boston College 6.

At Blacksburg, Va.: V. P. I. 13, Richmond College 0.

At Knoxville, Tenn.: University of Tennessee 33; Tuscul College 0.

At Lexington, Ky.: Kentucky State 39; Butler College 3.

THE BATTING LEADERS.

Ty Cobb made four hits in five trials Saturday and boosted his average four points. Tris Speaker's two hits in nine times up reduced his percentage by two points so that Cobb is only 15 points behind the Cleveland star. Joe Jackson made four hits in eight trials and thus scored his two-hundredth hit of the season. His average went up three points.

Chase added two points to his total on three hits in seven trials, while Daubert lost one point on two in seven. Hinchman's four hits in nine times up added four points to his total and he replaced Wheat in third place, the Brooklyn outfielder getting but two in seven. Hornsby lost two points by failing to land in four attempts.

The standings:

American League

	AB	H	Pct
Speaker	540	107	.384
Cobb	536	198	.369
Jackson	584	200	.343

National League

	AB	H	Pct
Chase	536	181	.388
Daubert	462	148	.320
Hinchman	554	176	.318
Wheat	559	176	.315
Hornsby	492	150	.305

YALE OPENS ITS SEASON BY DEFEATING CARNEGIE TECH

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 30.—Yale opened its football season today by defeating Carnegie Institute of Technoogy, 25 to 0. Fumbling cost the blue two touchdowns, and two attempted field goals were missed by scant margins. On Yale's first offensive, Legore ran 57 yards for a touchdown. The Yale players wore numbers for the first time.

BATES UNABLE TO PROGRESS AGAINST HARVARD ELEVEN

Cambridge, Mass., Sept. 30.—Harvard defeated Mates today 28 to 0. Thacher, a new comer scored two touchdowns in the first period. A long run by Casey and Murray's 32 yard run figured in a third touchdown. A forward pass of 25 yards and Horween's rush added another in the closing period. Bates was unable to make any progress against the Harvard line.

CITY LEAGUE AVERAGES

Andrews, of Delgado, Leading Batter and Base Runner—Only Four Men Batted Over .300 During the Season.

Official batting averages for the City League, which have just been issued, show that four men succeeded in breaking into the charmed circle of .300 hitters. Andrews, of Delgado, with .368, was the premier ash artist of the organization, while "Bob" Burnett, of W. L. I., with .333, was second. L. Lutterloh, of Delgado, led in home runs with three circuit trips, and Andrews, of Delgado, took the palm as a base snooper, he having successfully pilfered 12 bags.

Following is the averages for the leaders for the entire season. Official scores for three games were unavailable. Only those taking part in at least six games are considered in these averages:

Leading Batsmen.

Andrews, Delgado	.368
Burnett, W. L. I.	.333
Shepard, Delgado	.310
H. Register, Brigade	.306
Rhodes, W. L. I.	.273
Mints, Brigade	.268
Kite, Delgado	.263
M. Griffith, Brigade	.263
E. Lutterloh, Delgado	.258
E. Register, Delgado	.257
Boswell, Brigade	.256
S. Griffith, Brigade	.250
L. Lutterloh, Delgado	.243
Davis, Brigade	.243
Campbell, Immanuel	.240
Twining, Immanuel	.231
Huhn, Immanuel	.230
Jones, Delgado	.230
Houston, W. L. I.	.230
Snakenburg, Brigade	.211
H. Gerdes, Immanuel	.204

Leading Home Run Hitters

L. Lutterloh, Delgado	3
E. Lutterloh, Delgado	1
N. Shepard, Delgado	1
C. Shepard, W. L. I.	1
Davis, Brigade	1
Mints, Brigade	1
J. White, Immanuel	1

Leading Base Runners

Andrews, Delgado	12
Hayes, W. L. I.	9
H. Register, Brigade	6
Griffith, Brigade	5
Snakenburg, Brigade	5

ATKINSON DEFEATS CURRIE.

Currie, N. C., Sept. 30.—An exciting game of baseball between Currie and Atkinson High School was witnessed here by a large crowd. The features were the pitching of Curtis, who struck out 16 men, allowing no bases on balls, and the work of Joe Johnson, who stole six bases, bringing in three runs. Jackson struck out ten, but was hit freely.

Atkinson		9	8 3
Currie		4	13 3

Curtis, Johnson and Daniels; Jackson, Ranier, Walker and Sparkman.

FEDERAL AMENDMENT DAYS

October 7 and 21 so Designated by Woman Suffragists.

New York, Sept. 30.—The National American Woman Suffrage Association has designated October 7 and October 21 as Federal Amendment Days, and on those days suffragists all over the country will mark the progress and status of the Susan B. Anthony Amendment with fitting public demonstration.

On October 7th public meetings will be held by the suffragists of the local organizations over the country at which will be given the first reports of the canvass of congressional candidates. The candidates' views on suffrage will be read. Suffrage speeches will be made, and the voters will be urged to select a candidate from among those who favor equal suffrage and the Federal Amendment. The suffragists will continue to maintain their strictly non-partisan attitude and will endorse no party candidate but will make it clear that they do not favor those who are unwilling to vote for the submission of the Federal Amendment. The anti and the non-committal candidates will have another chance and on October 21st a second series of meetings will be held and all candidates who changed their attitude will be advertised accordingly.

On this day, also, a suffrage tableau will be staged, symbolizing the political status of womanhood in the various states of the United States. The first of these tableaunx was given in Central Park, New York City, last week. Photographs of the tableau will be made and sent to the presidents of the state organizations, who will model their demonstrations after the original one as planned by the national association.

TWENTY CARLOADS OF TOBACCO SHIPPED FROM WILSON AT ONCE

At Least 40 More Cars Expected to Move in a Few Days.

(Special Star Correspondance).

Wilson, N. C., Sept. 30.—Twenty carloads of tobacco were shipped from this place yesterday to New Orleans via the Norfolk Southern railroad. The value of the tobacco in each of these cars will run into thousands of dollars. Most of the storage warehouses here still are overloaded and the transportation companies are expected to move at least 40 more carloads within the next few days.

When former Justice Hughes, Republican candidate for president, stopped off in Los Angeles for a speaking date, he was driven about the city in a Cole Eight. At the end of the ride he turned to the driver and said: "Well, my boy, if the whole trip to the White House could be made in one of your cars, it certainly would be easy sailing." "Some tribute," declare the Cole Eight dealers.

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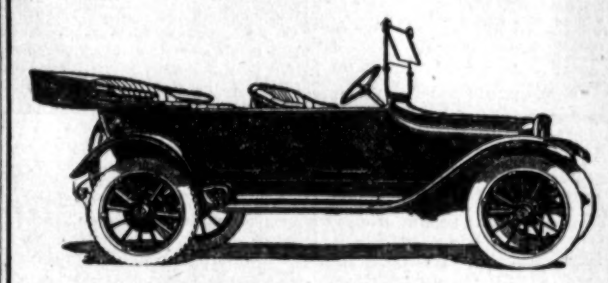

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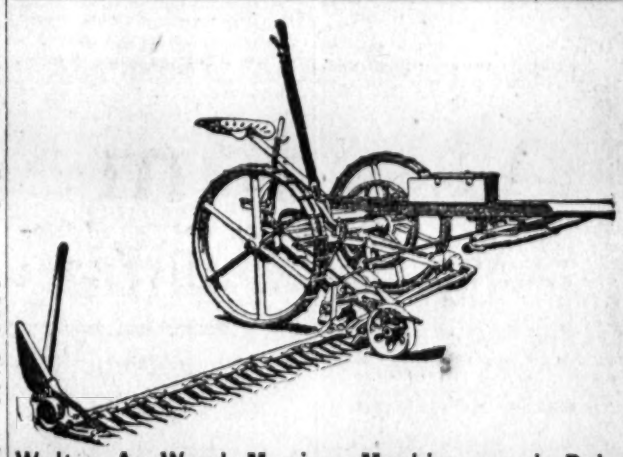

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

I have no patience with the man or woman who says, "I am trying to serve God in my poor weak way." It is your business to serve God in all His strength. He will give you the power if you ask. —TORREY.

Oh, you pioneers!

Keep your ginger on tap.

Here's October! Did we waste September's time?

Why should we sit around loose? Let's loosen up!

It strikes us that any man would rather run for sheriff than for the sheriff to run for him.

Nobody ever abuses a preacher. Maybe if a man would act like a preacher, nobody would call him whatever he is.

Those who have to confine their going hither and thither to walkomobiling also are complaining of the increased cost of pedestrianism. Shoe leather has gone up.

Mr. Schwab, the steel magnate, declares that there is no enjoyment in great wealth. Well, if he isn't enjoying his great wealth, we are willing to show him how, if he will furnish all the wealth. Of course, we wouldn't give two cents to be a malefactor of great wealth.

A man who wants to help the apostle of sectionalism to empty the South out of the saddle and thus to make a boot-licker of it, had better not tell it to his wife. She is apt to ruefully quote: "Lives there a man with soul so dead, Who never to himself hath said, This is my own, my native land?"

George is too far away to expect him to do it. We don't have to let Geo do it, if we will only get willing to do everything that George can do. If George can do things, we ought to beat George to the things that we can do without waiting on him or any other nation.

It is recalled that on one occasion Charles Dickens, the great English author, had a talk with Queen Victoria at Buckingham Palace. "Two of the chief subjects of conversation," it is related, "were domestic service and the increasing cost of bread and beef." Where have we ever heard of that kind of conversation before?

They say that the straw lid has been called in, but we know several straws that have not believed a word of it. One of them has been sticking to us to the last, but it came very nearly getting cold feet yesterday when the last day of September felt like it had been in touch with a cold storage somewhere in the vicinity.

The chief grouch of the Republicans is because Woodrow Wilson insulted the privilege crowd which posed as captains of industry while using Uncle Sam as a tool for trimming all the people for their special benefit. Wilson made that set work its own way without using the once potent jimmy provided for them by the Republicans. Those who work both sides of the street with the pan never love those who interfere with their cinch.

Since Wilson's main foreign policy was to keep this country at peace, no sensible man or woman who appreciates that blessing will blame him for doing several things that disturb the peace of Judge Hughes. The country wanted peace so long as it was honorably possible, and by reason of the fact that the country is both peaceful and prosperous the people ought not to sympathize with Judge Hughes because he is dissatisfied. The man who needs the sympathy is the one who succeeded despite all the trying difficulties.

OH, YOU WILMINGTON!

Alack! At the present time a North Carolina ham is negotiable as the equivalent of gold as the basis of value, but you have to have the gold before this delectable Eastern North Carolina delicacy can be trusted to your manipulation. Personally, this is a melancholy fact, but, broadly and constructively, it is exhilerating.

At this same present time, we know one Pender county man who raises 30,000 pounds of meat each season, but he does not refuse to shake hands with people on that account. If town people had that much meat they would soon have more insolence than meat, but Pender county people are so clever and generous that on occasions they have invited us to go around among them and sample their ham assets and umpire a feast of yellow legged chicken. "Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's ox," but so far as his ox is concerned most of us don't care to covet that animal, but the real temptation comes when one sees real North Carolina hams and chickens with all the plumpness of butter ducRs. We never covet them because all our time is taken up with being glad that the farmers are prepared to get what is coming to them.

The best prosperity is that which involves a redistribution of wealth, and there is no genuine prosperity till it reaches out and takes in the farmers. When the "kale-seed" gets well distributed in the country the situation gets healthy and satisfactory. "Cutting melons" and raking in profits galore around stock exchange centers is no sign of general prosperity. It is only one-sided prosperity secured heretofore by Republican aid furnished by the government, but be it known that the diffused prosperity that reaches every farmer in the land is the kind that we have longed to whoop about.

Some people do not understand the secret of wealth. It amounts to nothing unless it flows in and out and all around, instead of becoming concentrated and congested in certain centers where it gets locked up in the banks to be watched by men whose faces get a kind of money look on them from force of habit and mostly by means of steady thought of coin. Salting money down isn't anything so far as prosperity is concerned, but turning it loose so it can circulate and go in and out like the tide is the only guarantee of far-reaching prosperity. We want to see it reach out into the country, for it will increase rural wealth, increase farm values, and make the tributary territory of Wilmington and all other cities a real asset to them.

Until towns and cities help to make an asset of their producing territory they will keep on sitting around and wondering why their growth is so allfired slow. The towns and cities don't grow because they are simply assets of their tributary territory, and so long as that is the case the development of both must be of an ordinary and negligible kind. They must reverse the order and make an asset of their producing region and then watch the marvelous results that will follow as the night the day.

So long as there is nothing doing in the country it will be the same way in the town. Hundreds of towns experience that result without knowing the cause of it. It is because they neglect the possibilities in the great producing region round about. Chambers of commerce and commercial bodies are confining their activities to development matters on the inside, and they call that constructive work. It is constructive work of a kind, but it is the half-way kind. However, they get broadly constructive when they begin to realize the marvelous resources to be developed on the outside. Don't we know that is so? If not, it is time we were learning it.

The Star congratulates the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce upon the sign that it is realizing the importance of making an asset of our tributary territory. All around us there are rich resources in timber and lands, but if they are not being utilized for the wealth that is in them, they are like money hidden away in some old sock. However, when saw mills get busy and convert the timber resources into lumber and woodworking plants get busy and convert the lumber into merchantable products, millions of dollars in value reach the city. The development, in that respect, remains in the country to go on contributing to the prosperity of the city.

The same result follows on even a larger scale when idle lands are developed and farm production is increased. We have to tap the sources of wealth to get it out for business if we expect it to be worth anything to us. We have five million acres of land tributary to Wilmington and the greater portion of that resource is idle and untapped. Nevertheless, we have started in to tap the productive resources in Wilmington's tributary territory, and we must be convinced that it is up to us to create new opportunities for the people all around us and to encourage a big rural development that will mean millions of dollars to Wilmington.

If we could coax only $10 an acre a year out of 5,000,000 acres of forest and farming land in ten counties around Wilmington, it would increase rural wealth by $50,000,000 a year. We ought to know what that would mean to Wilmington, because this city is the clearing house for the wealth that is produced around her. Our bankers know what that means, for they are in charge of the clearing house. Wilmington is the emptying place for the resources that are stored around her, and if she can make the most of those resources it will be the greatest constructive work that she can do.

The greatest tangible opportunity that Wilmington has is embraced in her tributary territory. If we could get one dollar more an acre out of it each year, it would amount to $5,000,000 a year more than now. Even at the smallest calculation, we ought to realize the apparent value of constructive work on the outside by the people of both the inside and the outside. The Carolina Packing Company, backed by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, is only one of the means to bring about the urban and rural cooperation that will create a greater opportunity for farm production in Wilmington's territory. It will provide a livestock opportunity that has made riches for every state that has tried it. It will provide Wilmington with an industry, which, in the long run, will make Wilmington the livestock and meat and money clearing house for greater rural production, the greatest possibility in it being that it will grow yea rin and year out.

The biggest thing that the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce ever undertook is the encouragement of the packing house enterprise now on foot. The country on the outside has gingered up and it is up to Wilmington to ginger up and keep on gingering up both the inside and the outside. The packing house industry is one which seven Southern states have made a go. If they have done it Wilmington can, and she can do it the best. She has the field and the field is waiting on her.

At least twenty Southern cities have gotten into the game. Raleigh is in it. Oh, you Wilmington!

THE WILSON WAY THAT WINS

Many men have rashly hastened to oppose Wilson's way of doing things, but it generally turned out that the President was on the right track, while his critics eventually had to take to the siding. For instance, Colonel Bryan got cold feet and hastily resigned as Secretary of State, later to see the Wilson way vindicated. Did you ever notice the many instances which ultimately proved that the President can look ahead further and better than most men? We have.

As a matter of fact, we have observed numerous achievements scored by the President when it was feared that he was skating on thin ice. He wasn't. He had looked ahead and saw his way clear. In that respect, President Wilson is a wonderful man. His clearness of vision is plainly perceptible to unbiased men who have closely folowed his course. People learn to have confidence in a man with a judgment that has so often been vindicated.

There may be other men of the Wilson type, but they haven't shown up in American politics. A certain man who has been set up for something big has had the luck to fan out as soon as he went on the stump to conduct an undignified, partisan and sectional campaign. When Hughes demonstrated his dignified demeanor on the bench he loomed large as a presidential eligible, but just as soon as he went on the stump and mistook national politics for the ward kind he was accustomed to in New York City, he disappointed the expectations of men who naturally look for statemanship in all men of national repute.

Judge Hughes runs for president just like cantankerous candidates used to run for office in South Carolina. President Wilson has the knack of steering the boat over big seas and the thing to be remembered is that he has always landed in spite of those who rock the boat.

You can always rest assured that Wilson has loeked way ahead before he has set his sail.

FLORA MACDONALD

That is the title of a handsome library biograph of the most historic woman ever associated with North Carolina history—really a romantic history conspicuously linking Scotland and North Carolina. We recognize it as a fine addition to the bibliology of our State and we confess that it wonderfully appeals to our interest and sheds rays of enlightenment in a way that makes us more than ever realise the novelty as well as the historic setting to the life of a remarkable woman—none the less a heroine because of her inspiring loyalty to her native land.

The sketch is in souvenir form and it comes to us from Flora Macdonald College, Red Springs, N. C., through the courtesy of the Scottish Society of America. As a typographic production, its beauty is both striking and refreshing. Its contents are characterized by lore and legend and interwoven in the life sketch of the famous Scottish-Carolina woman are historic facts that are both educationally valuable and peculiarly entertaining. The pages of the work are embellished by illustrations of quaint and ancient castles and scenes peculiar to "Bonnie Scotland," and, besides, those illustrations which bring the whole subject close home to us are those giving us a glimpse into Dr. Vardell's splendid woman's college right here in Eastern North Carolina. Possibly the most interesting photogravures are those of Flora Macdonald and of the silver plate presented to her by admiring London friends in appreciation of her heroism. Some of her treasured silver service remain in North Carolina families and there is enough of all the facts and treasures to enable us to claim a large share in them for North Carolina.

The biography of the Scottish heroine was written by a distinguished and scholarly kinsman, James A. Macdonald, LL. D., editor of the Toronto Globe. He has given the sketch a literary touch that is entrancing in all its gripping paragraphs. The printing and engraving was done by the James William Bryan Press, Washington, D. C., and that well known publishing concern has given rare artistic value to a production that is altogether charming as a whole.

"The book is not for sale but for distribution. A copy will be sent to any one who may be interested in the perpetuation of the memory of the great Scottish heroine." That is an announcement accompanying the book, and certainly those who are to enjoy the privilege of reading it will recognize more than ever the lofty character and true type of heroine to whose memory a North Carolina college is a memorial worthily conceived, and, let us hope, destined to be more fitting in the greater scope that its future will reveal as the institutional namesake of a woman as truly great as she was famous in two continents.

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I, personally knowing the facts, went before the last Legislature before a joint meeting of the House and Senate Fish committee to see what I could do in the matter of protecting the fish industry. When I arrived at Raleigh I found that they had a bill which would form a fish commission for the purpose of enforcing the fish laws. I found the representatives of Carteret and Beaufort counties opposing the Fish Commission for the reason that they did not want the laws enforced for the protection of the fish industry.

The purse seines of those counties were killing the mullets by the millions from the size of your finger up to roe mullets, and as all fishermen know that the bulk of roe mullets run further off the beach than the other mullets. So it would be impossible for the stationary seines on the beach to destroy the bulk of the roe mullets. But the purse seines in a year or two could catch almost the last one, which would mean the end of the mullet industry.

When I went into the capitol knowing what the fish industry was worth to the people of Brunswick county, I inquired for Mr. Hewett, the man that Brunswick county sent to the Legislature to look after their interests. I could not find him in the building, and if he came in during the tight that we had before those two committees for the protection of the mullet industry of North Carolina, he did not show it by raising his voice in the discussion.

Now the facts are that he knew this meeting was going to be held, as it was advertised in the Raleigh papers and was given out by the officers of the House and Senate, and he failed the people of Brunswick county in a matter of vital interest to them. When this matter came up to a vote in the House of Representatives whether the commission should be appointed to protect the fish industry or not, I find upon examination of the Journal of the House that he lined up with the people of Cartaret and Beaufort counties and voted with them in opposing any protection of the fish industry.

I want to say this to the fishermen of Brunswick county, when the Fish Commission met at Morehead last May or June, to decide whether the purse seines of Carteret and Beaufort counties who petitioned the Fish Commission asking them to repeal the law which prohibited them from catching food fish with purse seines so that they could finish the destruction of the fish industry, did we find Mr. Hewett, of Brunswick county there fighting for the interests of his constituents? He was not there. He showed by his absence that he did not care two cents for the interests of the fishermen of Brunswick county.

But as well known that in all great crises, where the interest of the people are at stake the Almighty raises up a man or a hero to defend it. I want to say this, that if it had not been for the eloquent speech of J. J. Adkins, of your county, the purse seines might have been turned loose on the fish industry and in a year or two the fishermen would not have been able to get a mess of fish to eat. I was told by a gentleman who was at the meeting that it seemed to him that the speech of Mr. Adkins was inspired by a mighty power, and that he heard a good many say that they never heard a speech that was more convincing with its logic and eloquence. In fact, the people of North Carolina ought to pull off their hats to say to Mr. Adkins, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant, in the time of our need, you came to our rescue, and helped to save the fish industry to the people of North Carolina."

Yours very respectfully,
D. J. FERGUS.

THE PRICE OF COTTON—WHY?

To the Editor of The Star:

I have read several papers, and find that one side will talk about 15-cent cotton and the other will talk about 20-cent meat. Now did you ever stop to think that politics has nothing to do with either of them? Let us go back from 1885 to 1895, and see about 1888-90 cotton sold as low as 4 1-2 cents per pound. Why?

In nearly every country home there was a spinning wheel and a loom. When it was raining, the loom or spinning wheel was running. I have sat up many a night until 11 o'clock and picked seed out of cotton. We made our own colth at home and knit our own socks at home. There was only one cotton mill in Wilmington, and not another in a radius of a hundred miles of Wilmington, and they were few and far between everywhere.

Hence, there was no demand for cotton. There was not much made in those days. Instead there was corn, potatoes, peas and things that could be used at home. Cotton has been up and down ever since a few years ago. It went to 18 cents a pound, but not for long. It was soon back to 7 cents. Three years ago it was selling for 7 1-2 cents. Why is cotton 15 cents now? Think about the number of cotton mills there are running day and night at present. Think about the number of powder plants in the war country, using every bale of cotton they can get, to make gun cotton, and than, too, think of the plants in the United States.

Take, for instance, the plant at City Point, Va. They are using about 60 bales of cotton every hour. Figure this up for 24 hours a day 309 days, leaving out 52 for Sunday, two for Christmas, and two for July Fourth, and see what is being used there. Here it is, 458,360, nearly a half million bales, while 15,000,000 bales is considered an average crop. This year's crop is estimated at about 11,000,000 bales, or little more than two-thirds of a crop.

Cotton will continue to go up until after the great war stops. Then it will gradually come down, regardless of who is in office.

L. J. PERRY.
Lumberton, N. C.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The Democratic politicians are not at a loss to account for the large vote cast in Monday's primary The Republicans participated actively in the voting and in many cases their support was solicited by the Democrats.—Durham Herald (Ind.)

United States weather bureau says that at least a century will elapse before Western North Carolina experiences such another flood, and by that time Uncle Joe's responsibility will be barred by the statute of limitations.—Raleigh Times.

A local groceryman informs the Public Ledger that a distinguished gentleman representing a Chicago meat house spent a few hours in Oxford this week. He told the groceryman that the West cannot compete with the Southern states in the production of meat. This comes from mighty high authority, and it would seem that the farmers of Granville should grasp its full significance.—Oxford Public Ledger.

Travelers by night along the railroads in this State cannot but remark upon the numerous brilliantly lighted mills that signify the vicinity of some thrfty community. It is a fact that all the mills in North Carolina are working day and night and are making money at a rate they have never before known. Naturally the question arises if the employes are sharing in this prosperity and there is a happy answer to such inquiries. The wages of cotton mill operatives have been raised in proportion to the increase in the profits in some cases and are being so raised in others. The Lenoir Topic cites the case of the three cotton mills at that place as evidence. Last January the wages of the workers in these mills were raised in a substantial degree and this was followed a few days ago by the voluntary granting of an additional increase. The cotton mill men of the State have been sharing this action in a general way and it seems to be a pretty well-established fact that labor in the cotton mills is enjoying its part in the wave of prosperity that is sweeping over the country.—Charlotte Observer.

Kinston, through its Extension Service, aided by its Chamber of Commerce, has taken a step in the right direction, by installing a modern rest room for country women who visit the town for a day. There is also to be a kitchen in which a demonstrator will encourage better culinary art, including canning and pickling, all of which will be interesting to the country housewife, but the particular feature is the rest room, which will be furnished, showing how a comfortable home should be equipped. —Scotland Neck Democrat.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: C. B. Wessell to A. D. Wessell, for $10 and other considerations, lot on the south side of Meadow street, 90 feet west of 11th, 30 by 75 feet in size; Kinsey Hobbs to J.P. Fuchs, for $10 and other considerations, lot on the south side of Orange street, 12 feet west of 17th; J. L. Rogers and wife to Joseph E. Small, for $125, one acre of land in Harnett township.

Talks On Banking

SAVINGS BANK CENTENNIAL SERIES

THE ORIGIN OF SAVINGS BANKS IN THE UNITED STATES

The savings bank movement had hardly started in England and Scotland during the early part of the nineteenth century when the idea crossed the Atlantic and quickly took root in our soil. Some time during the year 1816 such schemes were simultaneously conceived in New York, Philadelphia and Boston, through correspondence with the mother country. Thomas Eddy, of New York, received a letter from a London magistrate named Patrick Colquhoun during that year, in which he outlined the English savings bank idea. James Savage, of Boston, and Condy Raguet, of Philadelphia, likewise received the same information, but from what source is not definitely known.

These thre egentlemen, unknown to each other, began to formulate plans for the establishment of savings banks for the alleviation of poverty on the part of the masses, and to encourage habits of thrift and industry among the poor. Numerous attempts had htretofore been made by well-meaning persons to accomplish the same end, but by different means. It was attempted to regulate the wages of mechanics by law. Statutes were passed fixing prices; sick and aid societies were formed, and even lotteries established by law to afford relief to the poor. Tammany Hall, in New York, was first instituted in 1805 as a society "to afford relief to the indigent and distressed members of the association, their widows and orphans."

All these endeavors accomplished but little permanent good, in that they were charities, an dthe people did not need charity—they needed then as now, a chance to help themselves.

The result of this movement was the establishment of three savings banks, one in Philadelphia, the Philadelphia Savings Fund Society, which opened its doors for business December 2, 1816, bein gthe first bank of its kind to receive deposits in this country. The Provident Institution for Savings, in the Town of Boston, the first bank of its kind to incorporate, being the first to receive legislative sanction, and the Bank for Savings in New York, now located at 22d street and Fourth avenue, the last to incorporate, due to the hostility on the part of the New York Legislature towards banks in general, but which after three years' effort succeeded in getting its charter and opening for business in March, 1819.

The growth of these three banks was rapid from the start, and they have for a century, been the depositaries of the people, numbering their depositors by the million and their deposits by the hundred millions—a marked tribute to the worability of the idea and its adaptation to American ideals and needs. From this humble beginning the mutual savings bank has grown year by year, until at the present there are 630 banks of this type—that is, mutual institutions without capital stock or stockholders, the entire assets being the property of the depositors, who by their deposits in small sums, provide the working funds that, by proper investment return an income from which the bank pays its expenses and interest to depositors, and has a remainder which it carries as a surplus or guaranty fund for the protection of the depositors against losses, which have been exceedingly light, in consideration of the vast sums loaned by these banks in the course of a hundred years. The resources of the 630 banks are over $4,819,383,000, belonging to 8,367,800 depositors, the state of New York alone having over three million depositors, wit htotal deposits of one billion seven hundred and seventy thousand dollars—an inconceivable sum.

CALL TO DEMOCRATS FOR NATIONAL TICKET

Woodrow Wilson Club Meets on Tuesday Night

Rally at Court House is Planned by Friends of Peace and Prosperity Candidate—Work Ahead of Local Leaders.

Tuesday night, 8 o'clock, the time; Court House the place!

Every loyal Democrat in Wilmington and New Hanover county and any visiting friends are cordially invited to be present at a meeting of the Woodrow Wilson Club at the time and place above specified. The business is important and every citizen who is interested in the "peace and prosperity candidates" should make it a point right now to allow no other engagement to interfere with this meeting.

A message is to be delivered from National Headquarters of the Democratic Campaign Committee and the Wilson Club not only invites the reader of these few brief paragraphs but he is asked to bring a friend with him. A little more than a month now and the die will be cast. The opposition is making itself busy and it is up to those who have always remained loyal to the time-honored Democracy to come "now to the aid of their party."

There is certainly not a man in North Carolina who has not benefited greatly by some of the important constructive legislation enacted by the Democratic Congress during the past four years. Much of this legislation has been passed on the recommendation of President Wilson, and practically all of it with his entire approval. It would seem, therefore, that there should be an outpouring of the people to render what assistance they may in this movement, for the success of the party not only of their fathers but of modern day achievement.

The Wilson Club as it existed four years ago is still intact; its honor roll is in the custody of a certain public-spirited North Carolinian, but at the meeting Tuesday night it is expected that there will be a large number of additional effectives who will help plan and do things for the election of the National ticket.

The meeting to be held Tuesday night is under the auspices of the National party organization, which has heretofore made no appeal for assistance from the public and they feel now that there are many ways in which they should have the co-operation of the public at large. As is well known, a Hughes Campaign Committee or Club has already been formed in the county and it is the least that leaders of the party may expect that Democrats generally will attend the meeting Tuesday night.

Mr. Henry Morgenthau, treasurer of the National Democratic Finance Committee, writes Mr. Hugh MacRae, secretary and treasurer of the State Finance Committee, that he is well pleased with the progress that is being made in North Carolina this year. He reports that the National committee is 60 per cent ahead of 1912 in the contributions, but on account of the increased cost of paper, printing, etc., the campaign expenses will be 50 per cent more this year than four years ago.

Mr. Morgenthau is very proud of the record made in Wilmington in the last campaign and says it was the best record in the State. The Wilson forces hope that New Hanover can again hold this record this year. The fact that Wilmington was for the last campaign the largest contributor, resulted in a quick recognition of this port in the councils of the party at Washington during the past four years.

Mr. A. W. McLean, chairman of the State committee, and Mr. Hugh MacRae, of this city, secretary and treasurer, were requested by Mr. Morgenthau to appoint a committee to organize the work here and this will be done at the meeting Tuesday night of the Wilson Club. Every Democrat is cordially invited.

MAJOR WALDRON BACK FROM INSPECTION OF DISTRICT

Local Engineer Officer Finds Work Here Intensely Interesting.

Maj. Albert E. Waldron, who recently assumed charge of the Wilmington engineering district, returned yesterday morning from an inspection tour of the work in and around New Bern and Point Lookout. He was accompanied by Engineer Harry Patterson, in local charge of the territory visited.

While away, Major Waldron inspected the breakwater which is being built to enclose the Harbor of Refuge at Cape Lookout, dredging operations on the Tar river and also several bridges which are being built across the same river.

Major Waldron stated that he found the work in the Wilmington district very interesting on account of the great variety of improvements which are being made. And that while he might inaugurate some changes in the method of carrying on the work later on, it would be after he had thoroughly familiarized himself with local conditions.

HOLD HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Salvation Army Will Take Special Offerings October 7-9.

The annual harvest Thanksgiving of the Salvation Army will be held this year from October 7th to 9th. Special offerings are being taken all over the country. The proceeds of this special effort are to be devoted to the rescue and slum work, together with the general extension work of the Army throughout the country. The demand upon the Army's funds were never greater than at the present time with its crowded rescue homes for fallen women and the work in the slums of the large cities, where hundreds of the poorest are brought under its influence and many of the most hopeless are reclaimed and led to live clean wholesome Christian lives.

The local corps is very anxious to do its share in meeting the expense in carrying on this work and the officers in charge ask the hearty co-operation of the people of Wilmington to this end. Donations large as small will be very gratefuly received.

SCHOOL SHOES BUILT FOR Service.—Peterson and Ruifs. (advertisement.)

COTTON PRICES ARE STILL SOARING HIGH

September Ends With Quotation Well Above 15 Cents

Staple on Wilmington Market Quoted at 15¾—Nothing to Indicate That High Level Will Not be Maintained.

The high prices in cotton reached since the opening of the new season August 1st, are being well maintained and not in many years have the prospects on the Wilmington market, as well as other markets throughout the country, been so promising for keeping up a level well above the 15-cent mark. The quotation for spots here yesterday was 15⅝ cents, an advance of one-eighth of a cent over the quotation for Friday. This lacks only two-eighths of a cent of approaching the highest price offered here this season, the quotation on September 14 reaching 15¾. That was the highest level reached here in more than ten years and at the same time other markets were registering quotations far above any known in recent years.

With the exception of the high level during the middle of the month, September closes with cotton at a figure that has not been approached since 1905, and, old records possibly will show, even for many years before that. The quotation of 15⅝ cents exceeds by many points any price offered in Wilmington in recent years. The nearest approach to that figure prior to the present was in May, 1911, when the spot price was quoted at 15 5-16, and in December, 1909, when it reached 15¼. However, in neither of those instances were the prices maintained for more than a few days, a gradual decline of several cents following.

There has been a steady rise in prices since the new season opened on August 1st. On that date the quotation was 12¼ cents, while the month closed with the price at 15¼. Following the publication of the government condition report for July, coupled with favorable picking and ginning figures which indicated a yield for the season of about 12,000,000 bales, there was a decline extending over a very brief period. Prices in Wilmington dropped to as low as 14 3-4 on September 8th, but by the middle of the month they had again soared to the 15-cent level and on September 25th went to 15⅝. During the past week the prices have fluctuated within a narrow margin.

According to authorities on cotton, there is nothing now to indicate that the farmer will get less than 15 cents for his staple this year. On the other hand, it is indicated that the prediction early in the season for 30-cent cotton still holds good. The Southern farmer is grazing in prosperity, due to the high prices he has received for his products during the year, and a large part of those who grow cotton can afford to hold it for almost a commanding figure. In addition to this, crop statistics filed during the past week, and reported in press dispatches, indicate that the yield will be around 11,000,000 bales, which, with the increasing consumption in this country, will serve to stimulate prices. Frost has overtaken the crop in the northern part of the belt and caused a deterioration in the condition for September, according to private reports.

Receipts on this market now are falling far short of those for the same date last year, and for the season over 21,000 bales less have been received than in the 1915 season. Receipts yesterday were only 900 bales, while on the same date last year the total was 1,976. For the season 31,661 bales have been received, as compared with 53,426 bales up to the same date last year. There may be some slight inaccuracies in these figures. The quotation on September 30, 1915, was 11¼ cents.

THOSE WHO HAVE NOT MOVED TO GET EXTENSION OF TIME.

Fact That Moving Day Falls on Sunday Gives Them 24 Hours More.

While according to the rental and lease laws of North Carolina, today is the official date for those nomadic householders, who intend to seek a change of quarters during the coming year, to change their place of domicile, the fact that it falls on the first day of the week will automatically grant them a 24-hours' extension of time.

Of course, not all the members of the moving class will transfer their habitation, for many of them have arranged for a lease of several years, and will be worried not at all by the terrors of moving day. Then, too, there are others who, though they have made no long leases, find no adventure or pleasure in the bustle and confusion that comes with the annual moving day. These people consider it merely as a necessary evil, and a thing to be avoided whenever possible.

A great per cent of those who intend to move have already done so, and the sight of the moving vans, piled high with household goods, passing through the streets, was a familiar sight during the past week.

MR. GRANT WILL SUPPORT BOWIE FOR SPEAKERSHIP.

Other Candidates for Speaker of House Ask His Support for Office.

Although the State Legislature does not convene until along in January, candidates for the speakership of the House are already beginning to line up the vote of members in support of their candidacy. L. Clayton Grant, Esq., as Democratic nominee from New Hanover county, has received letters requesting support for this office from Henry Page, of Aberdeen; Gallatin Roberts, of Asheville, and Thos. C. Bowie, of Jefferson. Mr. Grant stated yesterday to a representative of The Star that he would support Mr. Bowie.

In asking for support all of the candidates refer to their records in the Legislature, their fitness for the office and wind up by wishing the nominee a very happy experience in the Legislature. In addition to the above, Mr. Grant is also receiving letters from various and sundry candidates for the position of Sergeant-at-Arms, Recording Clerk and the like. By law, the Legislature will convene on the first Wednesday after the first Monday in January, 1917.

SCHOOL SHOES BUILT FOR Service.—Peterson and Ruifs. (advertisement.)

LARGE PLANTATION IS BOUGHT BY MR. COWELL

Clarendon Farm on Lower Cape Fear Sold by Mr. Brooks.

Wilmington Man Plans to Develop it Into Big Stock Growing Center. Deal Involves Consideration of About $20,000.

The well known Clarendon farm, situated on the west bank of the Cape Fear river in Brunswick county, four miles south of Wilmington, containing more than one thousand acres of land, was sold yesterday by Mr. J. W. Brooks, prominent wholesale merchant, to Mr. J. E. Cowell, for many years prominent identified with the barber business in Wilmington, the consideration being approximately $20,000, and coincident with the announcement of the deal, Mr. Cowell also announced that he had disposed of his barber business and would in the near future move to the plantation, which he plans to develop into a large stock growing center. This real estate deal was made through the agency of Mr. W. A. McGirt.

Mr. Cowell has long been interested in agricultural pursuits but has not heretofore had the opportunity to follow his desires in that direction. However, with the assurance that a packing house is soon to be built in Wilmington, he decided to embark upon a venture which he believes has great possibilities.

The Clarendon before it was purchased several years ago by Mr. Brooks was known as the Kidder farm and is one of the most fertile in Brunswick county. Fronting for nearly a mile on the Cape Fear river, it stretches back for a considerable distance through a very desirable section of country. It is bounded on the north by Mallory creek. In years gone by more than 150 acres of it were in cultivation as rice fields and at that time a canal was dug so that river vessels can unload and take on cargoes without trouble. There is also considerable timber on it, which Mr. Cowell expects to place on the market later.

The plantation is considered ideal for stock raising and Mr. Cowell expects to give his entire time to looking after and supervising it. He has already disposed of his other interests and will take charge immediately.

WAYNE COUNTY FAIR TO BE BIGGER THAN EVER BEFORE.

Splendid Exhibits and Fine Attractions to Feature Goldsboro Event.

From the opening event which will be a gigantic parade in which industrial Goldsboro and the entire surrounding section will be represented by scores of magnificent floats and continuing through four days, the Wayne county fair to be held October 10th to 14th inclusive, will be a veritable Mardi Gras. An invitation has been extended for the adjoining counties to participate and it is expected that New Hanover will be represented by a large delegation of visitors.

Reduced rates have been made on all railroads and all trains will stop at the fair grounds. With convenient schedules arranged so that those from a distance can go up and spend the day, returning home at night, there should be a large attendance.

There will be races on an improved race track and thousands of exhibits of every variety embracing not only the products of the farms but curios and antiques of absorbing interest. There is to be at the fair grounds a wonderful exhibition of flying and aerial warfare, including bomb throwing, such as is now used in the European war, which will be given under the auspices of the Aero Club of America.

For the young people at night there will be dances in one of the new store buildings with music by a first class orchestra. Everybody is invited to visit the fair and learn what progressive Wayne is doing.

IN RECORDER'S COURT.

Detective R. B. Brown Fined for an Alleged Assault.

That it does not always pay to be too zealous in the discharge of one's duty as an officer of the law, was proven in the Recorder's court yesterday morning, when Detective R. B. Brown was fined $5 and costs for an alleged assault with a deadly weapon and the person of Adrian Everett, colored.

Adrian alleged that the officer entered a house where he was visiting, and after a few preliminary remarks, hurled him through a window and persuaded him to hit a faster gait by firing after him.

TAGS ON DOOR KNOBS.

Last Act in Baptist "700" Rally Campaign—Special Exercises.

The final act staged in the campaign for the "700" rally at the First Baptist Sunday school occurred yesterday morning when residents of the city found on their door knob red lettered tags, bearing an inscribed verse that told of their purpose.

For days the white ribbon, with the inscription "700" have been much in evidence on the streets, and numerous cards have been sent out. Appropriate exercises will be held in the church today. Dr. John Jeter Hurt, Mr. Odis B. Hinnant and Superintendent D. H. Howes, Jr., of the Sunday school, will be the speakers.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Among the arrivals at the Orton yesterday were H. Smith, Monroe; A. T. Doane, Southport.

—Mr. C. H. Fore has returned from a business trip to the Northern markets in the interest of his store.

—Hon. Geo. H. Bellamy, who has been in Raleigh for the past several days on business, has returned to Wilmington.

—Manager T. C. McKoy, of the Wilmington Shirt Company, left last night on a business trip to Baltimore and New York.

—Among the arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday were E. E. Rome, Fort Caswell; C. L. Holt, Greenville; G. E. Woodruff, Jr., Charlotte; C. D. Thornton, Hamlet.

—Among the arrivals at the Imperial yesterday were: Charles Phipps, Raleigh; L. L. Sanin, Greensboro; C. W. Carter, Rocky Point; Tom Baggs, Rocky Point; R. W. Scott, Wallace.

OCTOBER 2ND

OUR REGULAR INTEREST QUARTER

Established 1900

Deposits made with "The Peoples" on or before Monday, October 2nd, will not only draw Interest from October 1st, but will receive credit for a full quarter's Interest on January 1st.

Begin the New Year with Interest credited to your account. You can do so by depositing here. We invite your account.

THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

CORNER FRONT AND PRINCESS STREETS

WHY THERE ARE NO MULLETS

Fish Inspector J. B. Hewlett, of New Hanover, Shows Startling Decline for the Present Season.

The failure of the mullet run this season in the vicinity of Wilmington is causing local fish dealers serious concern. For the past three months there have been packed in Wilmington but 876 kegs while for the same period in past years the average has been more than 7,000 kegs, according to Mr. J. B. Hewlett, fish inspector for New Hanover.

There has been a steady decline for the past five years, but it was not until the last season that there was such a big drop. During the months of July, August and September last year there were packed 6,392 kegs, which was a decrease from the average of about a thousand kegs.

Mr. Hewlett attributes the practical annihilation of this industry to the use of the shrimp seine. In a communication to The Star Mr. Hewlett says:

"As bearing on the failure of the mullet run this season, I give herewith the records for pack of fish from July 1st to October 1st for the following years:

"1911, 8,590 kegs; 1912, 7,684 kegs; 1913, 7,372 kegs; 1914, 7,188 kegs; 1915, 6,392 kegs; 1916, 876 kegs.

"In my judgment the decline in the run of the mullet is due to the use of the shrimp seine, which destroys the young fish, and the purse seine, which destroys the roe fish. It will be seen that the supply of fish is being destroyed by the best means possible to this end. What roe fish the purse seines do not destroy, the shrimp seines clean up by catching the young fish, and if the law were to undertake as its purpose the destruction of the mullet it could not adopt a better means than it has in allowing the use of the two kinds of seines described."

OCTOBER 2nd

Deposits made with us on or before the above date will bear interest from October First, and will receive interest for five months at our March First quarter.

We hope you will make a deposit with us. Four per cent paid on all deposits.

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Company

110 PRINCESS STREET

Mr. Grant Speaks at Church.

L. Clayton Grant, Esq., Democratic nominee from New Hanover county for the State Legislature, addressed the congregation of the Ebenezer Baptist church, colored, last Sunday. The meeting was largely attended and the audience showed its appreciation for the fine address delivered by the speaker, who was introduced by the pastor, Rev. J. N. McKnight. The meeting closed a series which were for the purpose of raising funds to purchase a pipe organ for the church. During the incumbency of the present pastor, more than $3,000 has been raised to pay off the church debt and there have been 200 accessions to the membership of the church.

ANNOUNCING OUR

MEN'S EXHIBIT

With Styleplus Clothes $17
A big feature

Conditions are different this season. Better come early.

Our stocks were never more complete and attractive. But we expect to have difficulty filling in later. We advise early buying for your benefit, not for ours alone.

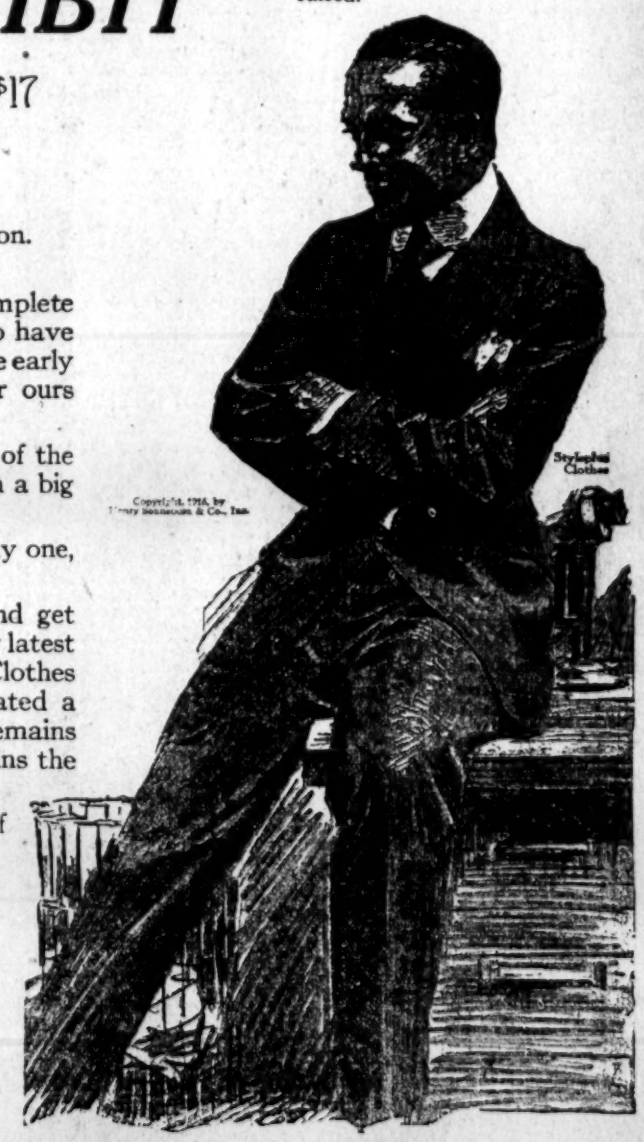
Our lines are the "thoroughbreds of the nation." They include Style with a big S and quality with a big Q.

We do not carry a handful of any one, but a big assortment of each.

You can pay a medium price and get the newest patterns and the very latest models. We bought Styleplus Clothes $17 liberally. We have anticipated a big call for them. Their price remains the same. Their guarantee remains the same. Enough said.

Glad to have you come, even if you don't want to buy now.

We have the exclusive sale here of nationally known Styleplus Clothes $17. You know the price has not raised.



BELK-WILLIAMS COMPANY

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Myrtle Mason, of New Bern, was in the city yesterday. She was registered at the Orton.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Foster have returned from Pennsylvania, where Mrs. Foster has been visiting friends.

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Mrs. O. H. Shoemaker has returned to her home in this city after a visit of several weeks at Wyalusing, Penn.

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Mrs. James Owen Reilly and daughter, Miss Helen, have returned to the city after spending some time at Waynesboro, Va.

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Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Coleman and Miss Lillie Gunn, of Southport, were among the guests at Hotel Wilmington yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ford have moved from their residence on Chestnut street and will spend the winter at the Wilmington Annex.

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The Missionary Society of Trinity Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the church. All members are requested to attend.

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Mrs. Hal Boatwright and Miss Alice Boatwright, who have been visiting Mrs. Tench C. Coxe in Asheville for some time, will return to their home here this week.

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Miss Bessie Wallace, of Rose Hill, has returned to her home ofter visiting friends and relatives for the past few days in this city.

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Miss Rebecca Mitchell, who spent the summer at Waynesville, has returned to the city, much improved in health, her friends will be glad to learn.

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Mrs. Rosa H. Watts has been appointed to a position in the government offices at Washington, D. C., and will leave shortly to take up her duties in that city.

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Mrs. J. C. Horne, of Magnolia, has returned to her home after spending some time with Mrs. M. E. McEntee. She also spent several days with relatives at Southport.

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St. Anne's Guild of St. John's church, will have an important meeting on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Parish house. All members are requested to be present.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Ida Hawkins Missionary Society of Grace church will be held this afternoon at 4:30. All young people are urged to be present.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Brown will leave this afternoon for Hopewell, Va., where they will spent some time with relatives. They will also visit Richmond and Norfolk before returning home.

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Friends will be interested in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Ruth Stolter to Dr. Ellis Leftridge Edwards, of Morganton, N. C. The wedding will take place sometime in the early winter.

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The Cantwell dancing school will open in the Hibernian hall on Tuesday night at 8:30 o'clock. Classes will be organized for instruction on Tuesday and Saturday nights. Children's class will be organized later.

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Yesterday's Greensboro News: "Commodore and Mrs. Harry Phelps, U. S. N., retired, and P. M. Thompson, spent last night in the city en route to their homes at Southport, after a visit of some little time at Asheville."

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The Immanuel Kindergarten, of which Miss Florence Bonitz is principal, will open Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Miss Bonitz will be assisted by Miss Alma Kerman. The kindergarten is located at Front and Queen streets.

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The Koionions of Grace M. E. church Sunday school, will meet Thursday night in their regular business session at the home of Mrs. Paul Gray, North 16th street. All members are urged to be at Sunday school this morning at 9:45.

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Mrs. H. H. McIlhenney and daughter, Miss Yvonne, who have been visiting Prof. and Mrs. Washington Catlett, left yesterday afternoon for New Oreans, where they will spend some time. Mrs. McIlhenney and daughter recently returned from Paris, France.

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Misses Ethel Davidson Wood, of New Bern, and Ethel Wheeler Smith, of Jonesboro, Tenn., who will be members of the High School faculty during the coming session, have arrived in the city, and will live with Miss Wood's sister, Mrs. W. W. Koch, No. 320 Chestnut street.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Nimocks, of Asheville, arrived in the city late yesterday afternoon after a pleasant trip from their home in their touring car. They left Asheville Thursday. They are visiting Mrs. Nimocks' parents and Capt. and Mrs. H. C. Twining, No. 515 North Fourth street.

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The women of Fifth Avenue Methodist church wil give an old time festival at the home of Mrs. Carrie Fordner, corner Fifth and Church streets, on Tuesday evening from 8 o'clock to 11 o'clock. Refreshments will be served and an enjoyable time is promised all who attend.

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Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Mary Milliner to Mr. William H. Plummer, at one time manager of the Orton in Wilmington, the ceremony to take place at the home of the bride at Reidsville on Wednesday, October 11. The wedding will be a quiet home affair attended only by relatives and a few friends.

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Elizabeth City, N. C., Sept. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cabell Bentley, of this city, are taking an automobile tour through North Carolina, Virginia, Maryland, District of Columbia and Pennsylvania. On their return trip they will go to Raleigh. Mrs. Bentley was formerly Miss Lillian K. Brown, of Lisbon, N. C.

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Mr. Jacques C. Reville, formerly of Wilmington, but now of Florence, S. C., and Miss Easterbelle Oliver, of Oakland, Cal., were married yesterday at Florence, according to advices received in this city. They are to spend the first part of their honeymoon in Wilmington. Mr. Reville is chief operator at the O'Dowd theatre in Florence.

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Dr. W. H. McIntire, head of the Soil Chemistry Research Laboratory of the University of Tennessee, at Knoxville, Tenn., is visiting his mother, Mrs. R. M. McIntire, No. 819 Market street. Dr. McIntire will return to Knoxville to resume his duties, after a two years leave of absence, spent at Cornell University, from which institution he recently received the degree of Ph. D.

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Goldsboro, N. C., Sept. 30.—A wedding that will be of interest to many friends of the contracting parties, was the marriage in this city yesterday afternoon of Mr. Seth G. Smith and Miss Bessie J. Cook, both of Duplin county. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few special friends in the parsonage of St. Paul M. E. church, the pastor, Rev. N. H. D. Wilson, officiating. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for Duplin county where they will make their future home

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Onslow Progress, Jacksonville, N. C.: "Frank Thompson, Esq., spent several days in Wilmington on business.——Miss Nina Andrews, of Wilmington, arrived Tuesday and is the guest of relatives and friends.——Mr. F. W. Hargett spent several days this week in Wilmington.——Mrs. E. O. Reeves and little daughter, Grace, spent several days in Wilmington this week. ——Mr. M. Margolis spent Wednesday in Wilmington."

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Lumberton, N. C., Sept. 30.—Invitations have been issued which read: Mr. and Mrs. David Milton Hollowell request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Mollie Bell to Mr. John Harvey Felts, Jr. on Wednesday the eighteenth of October at five o'clock in the afternoon at Chestnut Street Methodist church Lumberton, North Carolina. Accompanying are cards reading: At Home after the second of November Lumberton, North Carolina.

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Southport News: "Misses Annie St. George, Mary Weeks and Mrs. Viola Guthrie left Saturday for Wilmington, where they joined Mr. and Mrs. John Vereen and accompanied them to their home at Little River, S. C. They will spend some time visiting relatives and friends.——Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Drew are spending a few days in Wilmington with relatives and friends.——Mrs. Robt. C. Ruark, of Wilmington, is spending some time visiting her mother, Mrs. E. H. Adkins.——Mr. T. W. Wood and family left for their home in Wilmington Saturday after having spent the summer here.——Miss Evelyn Martin, of Wilmington, is the attractive guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Daniel."

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Burgaw Chronicle: "Mrs. W. T. Bannerman, of Wilmington, is the guest of Mrs. J. F. Johnson this week. ——Mr. R. T. Williams, of this city, spent last Thursday in Wilmington on business.——C. D. Weeks, Esq., of the Wilmington bar, is here attending court this week.——Ex-Judge Rountree, of Wilmington, is here this week attending court——Miss Gladys Brown, of Chadbourn, is spending some few days at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Crowell. Miss Brown is a daughter of the Hon. J. A. Brown, of Columbus county.——Mr. A. B. Croom, Jr., of Wilmington, spent Sunday and Monday in Burgaw. Mr. Croom reports business good, and growing better in that city.——Miss Fannie Haar, of Winter Park, spent a few days with Miss Gertrude George last week."

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Chadbourn Herald: "A wedding of interest to a wide circle of friends in this and other sections occurred at an early hour Tuesday morning when Miss Mabel Osborne and Mr. James W. Davis were united in marriage. The ceremony took place at the Methodist church, with only a few relatives and friends being present. Immediately after the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. G. M. Daniel, the couple left on the early southbound train for points in Georgia and Florida. They will return in ten or fourteen days and will make their home here. Mrs. Davis is a native of Asheville, but has spent a part of the year here with relatives. Mr. Davis holds a responsible position with the Brown Mercanitle Company. They are two of our best beloved young people and richly deserve the many congratulations that were heaped upon them before their departure."

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Clinton Democrat: "In its simplicity, but beautiful was the wedding which was solemnized at the home of Mr. T. H. Caison, on Thursday afternoon, September 21, when his daughter, Eunice, became the bride of Mr. Frank Williamson. It was quiet and simple, being attended only by the family and a few friends. The parlor and hall were beautifully decorated with potted ferns and other decorations. Rev. H. E. Lance, pastor of the bride, performed the ceremony.——Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Noe and two children, of Wilmington, motored to Clinton from Wilmington the first of the week to make a visit to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Partrick. ——Mr. W. B. Crumpler, of Wilmington, was in Clinton recently, having been called to the county on account of the sickness of his father.——Mrs. T. R. Lawther and children recently returned to Wilmington after making a visit to relatives here.——Mr. I. C. Wright, of Wilmington, was a business visitor in Clinton recently."

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SOUTHPORT NEWS NOTES OF INTEREST IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Southport, N. C., Sept. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Lavy gave a dance on Tuesday night at the Pavilion to the young people of their acquaintance that was greatly enjoyed.

Congressman H. L. Godwin was the guest of Capt. W. J. Adkins last Tuesday night.

Mrs. Emma Crapon, of New Bern, is here visiting, and is the guest of Miss Carrie Dosher.

At her attractive home on Bay street Wednesday night, Mrs. H. E. Goodwin entertained a number of the young ladies and gentlemen.

A. L. McCaskill, Esq., of Fayetteville, who spoke at the court house this week while here was the guest at the home of Mr. C. Ed Taylor.

Mrs. D. O. Daniel entertained in hon-

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CONVENTION OPENS TUESDAY

Many Visitors Expected at Annual Meeting of State U. C. T. U.—In Session Three Days.

Officers of the State Woman's Christian Temperance Union are expected to arrive in Wilmington tomorrow to attend an executive session of the organization on Tuesday, prior to the first public meeting on Tuesday night, while a hundred or more delegates will reach the city on Tuesday. The convention will be in session for three days, closing on Thursday night with special musical and literary programme in honor of the visitors.

The sessions of the convention will be held in the First Baptist church, and will be presided over by Mrs. Adelaide Goodno, of Raleigh, the State president. Mrs. J. E. Styevick, of Raleigh, is corresponding secretary.

The opening session of the convention on Tuesday night will be devoted largely to addresses of welcome by representatives of the different organizations of the city including an address by Mayor P. Q. Moore. Dr. Anna Gordon, who will arrive in the city Monday afternoon, will be introduced on Tuesday night and will make a short address, but her main address will be on Wednesday night.

On Wednesday night the chief feature will be an address by Dr. Anna Gordon, of Evanston, Ill., president of the national association, who is making a tour of the Southern states. She will come to North Carolina from Sumter, S. C., where she has been attending a state W. C. T. U. convention. On Thursday night there will be a demonstration on the progress of prohibition in which 19 young women will participate, representing the dry states of the Union.

The day sessions of the convention on Wednesday and Thursday will be devoted to the discussion of the business to come before the convention while those at night will be of a more popular character. The public generally is invited to attend the night meetings.

Mrs. E. R. Clarke is president of the Wilmington W. C. T. U. and she, with the co-operation of the members of the local organization, has been busy during the past week making arrangements for the entertainment of the visitors. The committee in charge of the local arrangements are:

Entertainment—Mesdames M. H. Shepherd, D. W. Bulluck, W. M. Cumming, A. O. Osborne, R. E. Williams, F. A. Muse, R. A. Montgomery, W. A. Sanders and Miss Lizzie Mulford.

Reception—Mesdames B. A. Robeson, Charles Perry, James Howard, R. D. Tucker, and Miss Belle Taylor.

Programme—Mrs. R. E. Williams, Mrs. F. A. Muse and Miss Lottie Smith.

List of Delegates.

Following is a list of those who have signified their intention of attending the convention and the homes at which they will be guests, the first named being the guests and the second the homes at which they will stay:

Dr. Anna A. Gordon, Orton hotel, guest of Mr. C. C. Covington. Mrs. Dixon and Mrs. J. D. Daniel, of Goldsboro, guests of Mrs. Robert Ruark, No. 1703 Princess street.

Mrs. J. H. Pate, of Goldsboro, guest of Mrs. C. E. Bethea, No. 1908 Princess street.

Mrs. R. N. Ranson, of Charlotte, guest of Mrs. J. W. Brooks, No. 1719 Market street.

Mrs. S. J. Phillip and Mrs. George Green, of New Bern, guests of Mrs. H. B. Branch, No. 211 South Sixth street.

Mrs. R. W. Davis and Mrs. S. H. Scott, of New Bern, guests of Mrs. C. H. Fore, No. 107 North Seventh street.

Mrs. J. E. Styevick, of Raleigh, guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Pridgen, No. 508 Market street.

Mrs. L. A. Goodno, of Raleigh, guests of Mrs. D. W. Bulluck, No. 309 North Fourth street.

Mrs. Walter Horton and Mrs. R. D. Stephens, guests of Mrs. M. H. Shepherd, No. 11 South Eighth street.

Mrs. Mollie Parish and Mrs. G. A. Strickland, of Raleigh, guests of Mrs. J. Hicks Bunting, No. 208 North Third street.

Mrs. Martha Morris, of Raleigh, guest of Mrs. J. F. Rogers, No. 211 Grace street.

Miss Addie Lloyd Bethel and Miss Maggie Whitehurst, guests of Mrs. W. A. Sanders, No. 108 Church street.

Mrs. J. E. Kirkman and Mrs. W. P. Pickett, of High Point, guests of Mrs. E. R. Clarke, No. 15 North 15th street.

Mrs. C. J. Vaughan and Mrs. L. C. Copeland, of Woodland, guests of Mrs. J. H. Shore, No. 415 South Fifth street.

Mrs. Annie Armstrong, of Hobgood, guest of Mrs. F. H. Fechtig, No. 1810 Princess street.

Mrs. Emily Doak and Mrs. Roxie D. White, of Guilford College, guests of Mrs. W. M. Cumming, No. 115 Church street.

Miss Mildred Blackburn, of Guilford College, guest of Mrs. J. B. Brinkley, No. 417 Chestnut street.

Miss Maria Kutrell, of Guilford College, guest of Mrs. J. K. Wylie, No. 14 Wrightsville avenue.

Mrs. Mary E. W. White, of Guilford College, guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Wells, No. 319 Orange street.

Mrs. C. C. Myers, of Asheville, guest of Mrs. F. H. Fechtig, No. 1810 Princess street.

Mrs. Emma Hutchinson, of Salisbury, guest of Mrs. A. O. Osborne, No. 414 Dock street.

Mrs. F. V. Barrier and Mrs. B. W. Hatcher, of Salisbury, guests of Mrs. J. W. Hudler, No. 18 North Fifth street.

Mrs. Sells, of Winston-Salem, guest of Mrs. Harry Payne, No. 419 North Fifth street.

Mrs. L. N. White, of Reidsville, guest of Mrs. C. E. Bethea, No. 1908 Princess street.

Mrs. R. J. Page and Mrs. J. M. Johnson, of Greensboro, guests of Mrs. J. S. Brown, No. 216 South Third street.

Miss Notre Johnson, of Greensboro, guest of Mrs. Fulton Allen, No. 1807 Princess street.

Mrs. B. N. Mann and Mrs. A. W. Vickory, of Greensboro, guests of Mrs. John Shinberger, No. 221 South Fifth street.

Mrs. E. M. Battis, of Greensboro, guest of Mrs. J. D. Edwards, No. 1812 Market street.

Mrs. Boles, of Greensboro, guest of Mrs. J. B. Brinkley, No. 417 Chestnut street.

Mrs. E. J. Preyer, guest of Mrs. D. W. Bulluck, No. 309 North Fourth street.

Mrs. O. C. Godfrey and Mrs. W. L. Goodman, of Spencer, guests of Mrs. Andrew J. Howell, No. 1918 Market street.

Mrs. Ed Ketchie, of Spencer, guest of Mrs. J. W. Brooks, No. 1710 Market street.

Mrs. William Boettscher, of Elizabeth City, guests of Mrs. Thos. Bacon, No. 406 Grace street.

Mrs. Clay Foreman, of Elizabeth City, guest of Mrs. M. T. Plyler, No. 401 North Second street.

Mrs. P. Jones and Mrs. B. E. Moore, of High Point, guests of Mrs. T. A. Green, Wilmington annex.

Mrs. Lee Smith, of Guilford College, guest of Mrs. Z. E. Murrell, No. 413 North Second.

ANNUAL MEETING OF ALUMNI

Members of New Hanover Alumni Association of A. & M. College Plan to Have Enjoyable Affair.

Mr. Buxton White, who was recently elected by the board of trustees of the A. & M. College at Raleigh as Alumni Secretary for the State, will attend the annual meeting and smoker of the New Hanover A. & M. Alumni Association, which will be held at the Graystone Inn at Carolina Beach on Friday evening, October 6th, according to an announcement made yesterday by Mr. J. L. Becton, president of the local association.

The management of the Graystone Inn has arranged with the local committee for a delightful luncheon which will no doubt be an added incentive for a large numbers of the "boys" to avail themselves of the privilege not only of meeting Mr. White, who graduated from the college in 1915, but also to discuss the splendid possibilities of the A. & M. football team winning a victory on Thanksgiving Day in Raleigh from Washington and Lee.

In the absence of Capt. George Gillette, '11, who is now commanding officer at Camp Glenn, the president of the local association has appointed as temporary secretary Mr. L. L. Merritt, '13. Mr. Merritt has already issued invitations to all the local members of the association as well as members of the alumni in adjoining counties, to prepare themselves for this "feast of seaside delicacies" that will be provided for those who attend the annual luncheon and smoker. The committee which has arranged this annual meeting for the A. & M. "boys" has in store a genuine surprise, it's needless to say that this will be of an unusual nature.

Mr. White, '15, will bring with him quite a number of lantern slides of the many new buildings that have recently been erected at the A. & M. College as well as slides of the old structures that will bring back pleasant memories to the old boys who are still writing the Nineteenth Century after their signatures. There will also be many pictures of the football teams and Mr. White will have an interesting "line of talk" to reel off to the "boys" who are now out fighting the battle of life.

Though quite a number of games will be played by the A. & M. football team prior to Thanksgiving, the greatest interest centers around the later, at which time its the hope of the association that at least a hundred friends and admirers of A. & M. boys can be secured from Wilmington to attend this great gridiron struggle. A pullman can be secured to go by the A. C. L. either on the train leaving at 6:45 p. m. Wednesday or 3:40 a. m. on Thanksgiving morning.

LOCAL DOTS.

—A license was issued yesterday for the marriage of Mr. Charles H. Davis, Jr., and Miss Beulah M. Ludwig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James O. Ludwig.

—W. N. Nixon, colored, was arrested at the playgrounds last night, by Policeman J. O. Bullard, on a charge of violating the prohibition law. Some liquor was found on his person.

—Friends of Mr. Charles H. Creteau, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Creteau, will be interested in learning that he has been promoted to the United States flagship Minnesota as gunner.

—Rev. J. S. Crowley will preach at both morning and evening services at the Topsail Presbyterian church in Pender county today. The morning service will be at 11 and the evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

—The first of the winter meetings of the Speakers' Club of the Y. M. C. A. will be held on tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the association building. Attractive invitations have been sent out to prospective members inviting them to be on hand. An interesting programme has been prepared.

—A non-educational examination for the position of mate on the government steam tug Coquette on the Cape Fear river will be held here on October 20. The position pays $50 per month and subsistence. Full particulars may be obtained at the office of the United States engineer at the postoffice.

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SOCIAL

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or of Miss Evelyn Martin, of Wilmington, a few friends Tuesday. The game of Rook afforded pleasure to those present.

Mr. Harry Shaw left this week for Wilmington. From there he goes to Cleveland, Ohio.

The home of Mr. Jesse Weeks on Wednesday evening was the scene of festivities, a number of the young set being entertained.

The marriage of Miss Mary Ruark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Ruark, of this city, to Mr. Robert St. George, son of Capt. Thomas St. George, of this place, on Thursday, was a surprise to most of the people. Miss Mary is highly regarded by all who know her. Robert St. George is now with the National Biscuit Company. Their friends tender best wishes for present and future happiness.

Capt. and Mrs. L. J. Pepper have been enjoying almost a family reunion during the week. Their son, Ed, his wife and five children are here from Selma, Ala., this being Ed's first visit to his old home in over eight years. Mrs. Skinner and Mrs. Martin, with their children, daughters of Captain Pepper, are also visiting.

Mr. T. W. Wood and family, who have been occupying their house on Bay street here, during the summer months, have returned to Wilmington. Editor McIntyre, of the Southport News, and family, have taken the Wood house for the winter.

The county superintendent of Brunswick schools was at Laurinburg this week, attending the sessions of the school superintendents.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hood and daughter have been motoring during the week, visiting with friends and relatives at Wilson, Raleigh and Fayetteville.

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AFFAIRS OF INTEREST IN SOCIAL CIRCLES OF WARSAW

Warsaw, N. C., Sept. 30.—The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church was entertained by Mrs. T. B. Blackburn on the occasion of its regular monthly meeting, at her home on last Friday afternoon. After a business meeting, when the secretary read a report of the work accomplished by the society during the past year, and it was decided to have an impersonator give a recital for the benefit of the society, a pleasant social hour was spent, when the hostess served an ice course with punch, folowed by grapes.

The fair committee, appointed to advertise the Wayne county fair in Duplin, held a meeting at the home of Mrs. James Pierce on last Saturday afternoon. The committee decided to boost the fair, to attend themselves and tell others to do so.

One of the best meetings since its organization was held by the Christian Endeavor Society at its last meeting, with Miss Ruth Moore as leader. An interesting talk was also made by Prof. M. H. Wooten.

Mrs. A. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Sitterson, of Kinston, and Mr. and Mrs. Robin Hood, of Smithfield, were the last week-end guests of Mrs. Herbert Best.

Miss Sara Camden, of Wilson, visited Mrs. C. A. Womack last week.

Miss Theo Wooten has gone to Raleigh to resume her studies at Peace Institute.

Mr. Robert Barden, after securing a number of recruits for his company, returned to Camp Glenn in time to go with the other soldiers to the Mexican border.

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INTERESTING SOCIAL NEWS FROM WINTER PARK SECTION

Winter Parh, Sept. 30.—Mr. H. B. Shaw left Friday evening for Baltimore, where he will spend his vacation.

Little Miss Leary Lewis, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lewis, entertained a number of her little friends at a party in honor of her seventh birthday one day this week.

Mr. David Murrell has taken a position at Baltimore.

Mr. J. A. Carter is erecting a new residence on Fourth street, which he will occupy when completed. It is understood that Mr. Carter will begin the erection of other houses here in the near future.

Mrs. G. B. Smith and daughter, Miss Mattie Larkins, have returned from a visit to Atkinson.

Mrs. W. R. Peterson and children have returned from a visit to Mrs. Peterson's father at Gibson, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Robinson were called to Florence, S. C., Wednesday night by a telegram announcing the unexpected death of Mrs. Robinson's father, Mr. B. P. Fulton. Mrs. Robinson will remain in Florence for several days.

Mrs. Sallie K. Allen has returned to her home at Bolton after a visit to Mrs. J. T. Sholar, at her Edgewood home.

Rev. J. E. Lanier, of Smithfield, preached a splendid sermon at the Baptist church Thursday evening.

Mr. John Reeves and family have moved down from Wilmington, and are temporarily occupying Mr. Ed Ellers' home.

Mr. A. B. Sandlin nad family have moved into their new home, which they recently purchased from Mrs. J. A. C. Hatchel. It has been remodeled.

Mr. Fred A. De Vere and family have moved back to the city, after having resided in Winter Park for the past year.

Miss High gave a silver tea at her home on Friday afternoon, for the benefit of the Willing Workers' Society of the Baptist church.

Mrs. Edward Schulken entertained a number of her friends at her home at Audubon Friday evening. After a number of games, refreshments were served.

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KINSTON SOCIAL NEWS NOTES OF THE WEEK OF INTEREST

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 30.—Mr. W. W. Rouse and Mrs. Anna Jarman, a well known couple of this city, were quietly married at LaGrange Wednesday night. Rev. B. P. Smith, pastor of Gordon Street Christian church, Kinston, and a party of friends accompanied them to LaGrange. The ceremony was quietly performed in the home of a brother of the bridegroom.

Several hundred women of the denomination will attend the annual State convention of the Christian church (Disciples) here about the middle of next month, and the societies of the local church are making extravagant preparations for their entertainment. The members tomorrow will state how many visitors each will care for. The local congregation is about the most representative in East Carolina, and has one of the largest memberships of the churches in the city. Informal affairs will be numerous during the several days.

The First Baptist church is preparing to build a handsome home for Rev. W. Marshall Craig, its new pastor, and Mrs. Craig. The dwelling will be erected in the rear of the church, on McLewean street, an ideal location. Mrs. Craig will probably arrive here during the coming week.

Prominent women of the city were models at style shows held in shops this week. At one place Misses Ada Suggs, Roberta Pridgen, Vida West and Eoline Padrick and Mrs. Mellon exhibited fashions for a large number, comprised for the most part by women of their own set, and at another Mrs. Irma Tunstall, Miss Bailey and others were the models.

The Mother's Club is engineering a lyceum course for a playground benefit, the first attraction of which will be seen during the coming month. The series embraces five numbers. The club also is preparing for a better babies contest in the week of the ten-county fair, the latter part of the month.

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FAYETTEVILLE WEDDINGS AND OTHER NEWS OF SOCIETY

Fayetteville, Sept. 30.—Invitations are being sent to out-of-town friends for the marriage of Miss Louise Huske, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Huske, of this city, and Dr. William S. Jordan, which will take place in October. The invitation reads as follows: "Mr. and Mrs. William Weldon Huske request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Louise Manning to Dr. William Stone Jordan, on Thursday evening, October the nineteenth, at eight o'clock, St. John's Church, Fayetteville, North Carolina."

Miss Huske is deservedly one of the most popular girls of Fayetteville, being universally liked, not only for her attractiveness, but for her genuine qualities of character. Dr. Jordan is one of the most highly regarded of the younger physicians of the city. He is a son of Dr. T. M. Jordan, of Raleigh.

The marriage of Miss Georgia Dixon, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dixon, of this city, and Mr. J. Crawford Cooper will be solemnized in the Hay Street Methodist church, on the evening of Wednesday, October 11th. The engagement was announced in August. Invitations reading as follows are being sent out:

"Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evans Dixon request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daugher Georgia to Mr. James Crawford Cooper, on Wednesday evening, October the eleventh, at half after eight o'clock, Hay Street Methodist church, Fayetteville, North Carolina. Reception immediately following the ceremony, at home."

Both these marriages will be of considerable social interest and the affairs which will precede them have already begun. On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. H. J. McBuie gave a miscellaneous shower to Miss Dixon at her home on Russell street. The guests were cordially received by Mrs. McBuie and the charming honor guest. The shower eventuated when little Misses Mary McBuie and Elizabeth Dixon drew in a wagon laden with gifts for the bride-elect. The gifts proved to be of a great variety and were happily received by the honoree. Mrs. McBuie served refreshments of salad, cream and cake, and minta. The house was prettily decorated with yellow autumn flowers.

Mrs. Cropsey and Miss Mary Cropsey, of New York, were the guests of honor at the first fall meeting of the Married Women's Tuesday Bridge Club when the club met with Mrs. John R. Tolar, Jr., this week. Mrs. J. B. Underwood won the club prize, a sandwich basket. The guest prize, a cut glass tray, was won by Miss Cropsey. Those present were Mrs. H. W. Lilly, Mrs. A. M. Huggins, Mrs. J. B. Underwood, Mrs. D. G. MacKethan, Mrs. Leighton Huske, Mrs. S. W. Cooper, Mrs. S. H. Strange, Miss Sallie Myers, Miss Fan Kyle, and Miss Fan Williams.

Mrs. Walter Powell, of New York, the guest of Mrs. J. A. Moore, was complimented by Miss Maude Haigh Wednesday afternoon when seven friends were invited to a prettily appointed afternoon luncheon by Miss Haigh. Three courses were served. Those present were Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. D. G. MacKethan, Mrs. John Underwood, Mrs. H. M. Pemberton, Mrs. J. B. Underwood and Mrs. Archer Boogher.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL NOTES OF INTEREST FROM CLARKTON

Clarkton, N. C., Sept. 29.—The young people of the town were very delightfully entertained by Miss Amelia Wooten at her charming home on Elm street, on Tuesday evening. Old fashioned out-door games were enjoyed on the brilliantly lighted lawn. Music was furnished by several of Clarkton's accomplished young ladies. Grapes and peanuts were served.

Mrs. R. K. Craven and little son, George, of Abbottsburg, are visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Clark.

Messrs. D. A. and J. W. Regan, of Lumberton, were guests of friends here Sunday.

Mrs. E. S. Clark and Miss Amanda Clark entertained at a six o'clock dinner on Tuesday evening the faculty of Clarkton High School. Those enjoying Mrs. and Miss Clark's hospitality were Prof. Shockley, Misses Amanda Ethridge, Catherine Lapsley, Lucy Williams and Miss Bunting.

Rev. W. H. Goodman preached an excellent sermon at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning on "Predestination." He has been appointed to preach a sermon on this subject at the meeting of Wilmington Presbytery at Seven Springs, in October.

Miss Amanda Clark returned last week from an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. Partlow, at Alexander, Idaho.

The millinery opening at the O. L. Clark store on Wednesday was a great success. The ladies came in great numbers, not only from the town itself, but from the surrounding country-side and also from adjacent towns, and they went away not empty-handed either, for many carried with them dainty creations of head-wear. Miss Bunting, the very popular and efficient milliner, has won the hearts of her patrons and it is very evident that her charming smile and gracious manner will win for her many customers. Cake and cream were served throughout the day.

Mrs. J. W. Russ spent a few days with her sister at Council last week.

Mrs. Mary Pridgen and Mrs. Daisy McCallum were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McMillan, at Council, for several days last week.

Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Clark were the recipients of a "pounding" Wednesday evening, in honor of the fact that they have just gone to housekeeping. The donors met by appointment and went to the house in a body, where they very lavishly pounded the popular young doctor and his charming bride.

The mid-week prayer service, which has been suspended for the past two months at the Presbyterian church, was resumed again on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Morrison, of Atlanta, Ga., was the week-end guest of friends in town.

Hon. H. S. Ward, of Washington, delivered a very able address on the principles of Democracy last week. Mr. Ward is an eloquent speaker and a Democrat of the Jeffersonian type, and those who heard him, including a number of the fair sex, were delighted with his address.

Mr. Ralph Boring and Misses Janie Clark, Carlotta Love and Edna Mann, of Elizabethtown, motored over for a few hours Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thumm, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Clark.

Misses Amanda Clark and Emma Kelly were in Wilmington a day or two last week.

Messrs. Harry and Fulton Memery

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THRONGS OF CHILDREN WILL MARCH TO SCHOOL

Eventful Day in City's Annals is First Monday in October

Four Thousand Boys and Girls Will Resume Their Studies After Long Rest—The Teachers Who Are to Instruct Them.

The first Monday in October! That date may stand for other things in other sections—such as moving day for instance—but in Wilmington it stands for just one—the opening of the city schools. The schools loom large on the horizon of the communal life at all times, but on opening day the schools seem to tower, dwarfing all things else.

In reading about the great men and women—those who, in one way and another have been benefactors of the race, one is impressed with what an important place education has always held anyway. The annals of history contain a long roll of these names, but in their beginnings they were just ordinary little school boys.

And just as they grew into greatness, so will many more little boys—and girls, too. And in the years to come, it is not improbable that a Wilmington school may be known abroad as the one where this great statesman or that man of science went when a child or a teacher at another may be mentioned in the memoirs of a shining light as Carlyle remembered his—"as possessed of some reason for her business and the one who awakened enthusiasm in me."

The same boy who wrote so vividly the story of "One Dog Fight" may, when he learns that spelling is as necessary a tool for an author as imagination, evolve and bring forth another "Treasure Island"; one of those experimenters this year in physics may develop into a second Madame Currie, and that ardent advocate for "Preparedness" in the High School debates may be another Daniel Webster or Henry Clay. For "All potentialities of the luscious peach lies hidden in the bitter almond."

Never before has it been so true that all men are born equal. Education is the great equalizer—and education is free. Could one of those educators of those old by-gone days in Wilmington come back from the shades and stand and watch the streams of children as they go to the different schools tomorrow morning, they would be indeed astounded. Could that French Madame Clement, for instance, who had her school on lower Market street, and whose pupils came to her door each morning in their father's carriage or attended by a colored man or maid, revisit the city, would she not fling up her hands and roll her eyes in amazement at such a lavishment of learning.

These schools, belonging to the people of Wilmington, have all been made ready for the reception of the four thousand boys and girls tomorrow. The walls have been brushed, the windows made to shine, the floors oiled, so there will be no dust, and the desks rubbed. Yes, and the clock has been wound up and set going, ready to strike the fateful nine strokes that starts a new year.

Following is a list of the teachers who are to have charge of the pupils in the different schools this year:

High School—Mr. M. G. Little, principal; Miss Frederika Jenkins, Senior II; Miss Isabel Gulley, Senior I; Mr. A. R. Newsom, Junior I; Miss Jane D. Wood, Junior II; Miss Emma Martin, Sophomore I; Miss Ethel Wood, Sophomore II; Miss May Grant, Sophomore III; Miss Ethel Smith, Sophomore IV; Miss Elizabeth Warren, Freshman I; Miss Kate Styron, Freshman II; Miss Lillian Allen, Freshman III; Miss Nettie J. Fleming, Freshman IV; Miss Grace Logan, Domestic Science; Mr. F. V. Pultz, Commercial Department.

Union School—Miss M. E. Cook, principal; Miss Hester Struthers, Eighth grade; Miss Margaret Gibson, Eighth grade; Miss Reba Myers, Seventh grade; Miss Joyce Jones, Seventh grade; Miss Hattie Lou Smith, Sixth grade; Miss Florrie Grant, Sixth grade; Miss Gladys Taylor, Sixth grade; Miss Aline Heard, Fifth grade; Miss Maude Kingsbury, Fourth grade; Miss Adelaide Meares, Fourth grade; Miss Kate Alderman, Third grade; Mrs. M. D. Parsley, Third grade; Miss Meta LeGrand, Second grade; Miss Annie McKay second grade; Miss Theodore LeGrand, First grade; Mrs. Annie Winstead, First grade.

Hemenway School—Mr. J. Shepard Bryan, principal; Miss Elizabeth LeGwin, Eighth grade; Miss Nannie V. Shaw, eighth grade; Mrs. E. P. Brock, Seventh grade; Miss Olivia Miller, Seventh grade; Miss Dorothy Owen, Seventh grade; Miss Lucile Cavenaugh, Sixth grade; Miss Virginia Dozier, Sixth grade; Miss Katherine VonGlahn, Fifth grade; Miss Hilda Johnson, Fifth grade; Miss Sue Boone, Fourth grade; Miss Louise Hill, Third grade; Miss Claire Lathrop, Third grade; Miss Augusta Wiggins, Second grade; Miss Kate Yarborough, Second grade; Miss Kate Johnson, First grade; Mrs. Mary S. Stone, First grade.

Isaac Bear Memorial School—Miss Julia Hill, principal; Miss Gertrude Bell, Fifth grade; Miss Fannie McClees, Fourth grade; Miss Edna Thompson, Third grade; Miss Thelma Smith, Second grade; Miss Elizabeth Symmes, First grade; Miss Jennie Jackson, First grade.

Cornelius Harnett School—Mrs. H. E. Fennell, principal; Miss Sadie Exum, Sixth grade; Mrs. Bessie Hayes Orrell, Fifth grade; Mrs. Bessie H. Clarke, Fourth grade; Miss Nellie Pickard, Third grade; Miss Mary Eve Carpenter, Third grade; Miss Emma Hazel King, Second grade; Miss Anna Cavenaugh, First grade; Miss Carrie King, First grade.

William Hooper School—Miss Eliza Meares, principal; Miss Mary Whitted, Fifth grade; Miss Margaret Wood, Fourth grade; Miss Judy Faison, Fourth grade; Miss Gertrude Johnson, Third grade; Miss Esther Harriss, Third grade Miss Mary Worth, Second grade; Miss Nel. Bowden, Second grade; Miss Kate Faison, Second grade; Miss Lucile Poley First grade; Miss Isabel Williams First grade; Miss Mary Esther Cameron, First grade; Miss Maggie Bowden, First grade.

Miss Mary Wright Taylor, teacher Sunset Park school.

SCHOOL SHOES BUILT FOR Service.—Peterson and Rulfs. (advertisement.)

VESSEL ORDERED RELEASED

Spanish Steamer Luisa is Released by Judge Connor Following Hearing. Will Sail Today.

Following a hearing here in chambers yesterday morning to determine the amount of the bond to be furnished for the release of the Spanish steamer Luisa, which was libelled a few days ago for alleged failure on the part of her owner, the Templeman Steamship Company, to keep a contract with reference to the charter of a ship with the plaintiff in the case, the Freighters' Transportation Company, the vessel was ordered released by Judge H. G. Connor, of the United States District court, upon the execution of a justified bond in the sum of $5,000 by the defendant company.

The plaintiff was also required to execute and file in court a bond in the sum of $2,000, fully justified, conditioned to pay such damages as the defendant may have sustained by the attachment of the steamer.

It was further decreed that W. B. Cooper & Company and Alex. Sprunt & Sons have the right and are directed to pay the freight money due by them, respectively, directly to the steamship Luisa and her owners.

The above case is an action for damages in the sum of $20,000 brought by the plaintiff in admiralty proceedings with the addition remedy of attachment of the defendant's property in the Eastern District of North Carolina.

When seen yesterday by a representative of The Star, Mr. B. L. Stafford, vice-president of the Templeman Steamship Company, of New York, said: "The plaintiff's claim is based on a contract alleged to be with the Export Freight Forwarding Company, when as a matter of fact here is no such contract in existence, nor has there been any constract between the Templeman Steamship Company and the above company or any of its connections.

"The whole proceedings," Mr. Stafford claimed, "are for the purpose of embarrassing and forcing us to pay or compromise a claim that is not due."

The court's decree was made following a hearing before Judge Connor on a motion made by the owners of the steamer Luisa to dismiss the attachment libel made and levied on the vessel. B. L. Stafford, Murchison National Bank, W. B. Cooper and W. B. Cooper & Company were represented by John D. Bellamy & Son.

In the above case, John D. Bellamy & Son appeared for the ship owners and Henry Whyte, local agent, the Murchison National Bank and Alex. Sprunt & Sons were represented by Herbert McClammy, Esq., while Robert Ruark, Esq., appeared for the libellants.

Following the signing of the release decree, the Luisa cleared for Genoa. She has on board 5,000 bales of cotton and 516 tons of pig iron, all of which was loaded here at the Seaboard Terminal dock. The vessel will probably sail this morning at 10 o'clock.

SOCIAL

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of Western Prong, have opened up a mercantile establishment in the R. B. Cromartie building. We are glad to welcome these enterprising young men to our town and wish for them the patronage which will mean success.

Mrs. J. Wash Clark and daughters, Helen and Fannie, spent one day this week in Whiteville.

A very enthusiastic meeting of the Archibald MacFadyen Band was held with Miss Katie Smith on Thursday evening. As so many of the members have been away this summer this was the first regular meeting held in some time. The society is planning to take a course in mission study during the winter. The next meeting will be held with Miss Amelia Wooten Tuesday evening, October 11th. Hot chocolate and wafers were served by Misses Bessie and Lula Mae Smith. Five new members were enrolled.

Mrs. E. C. Clark very delightfully entertained the matrons of the town at a miscellaneous shower Thursday afternoon at her lovely home on Graham street, in honor of Mrs. E. S. Clark, a recent bride. The guests were met by little Misses Daphne Clark and Ruth Stegall and ushered into the parlor. After all had assembled they were given paper and pencil and asked to write out recipes "How to make a home happy," and "How to keep a husband." These were all turned over to the bride for future reference. Mrs. Clark then announced that the weather bureau had reported "showers" for the afternoon whereupon all were invited into the play room where the shower had fallen. The presents were useful as well as ornamental. Cake and cream were served by little Misses Isabella Cox, Daphne Clark and Ruth Stegall.

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PRETTY GREENSBORO WEDDING AND OTHER SOCIAL AFFAIRS

Greensboro, Sept. 30.—The weekly card parties at the Country Club which have been so much enjoyed during the summer, will be discontinued until further notice. The last one for the summer was held yesterday, Mrs. Clem G. Wright being chairman of the committee in charge, with Mrs. A. S. Wyllie, Mrs. Bernard M. Cone, Mrs. Ralph B. Coit, and Miss Lynn Richardson assisting.

The choir of Centenary Methodist church entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Faulkner, on Magnolia street, in honor of Miss John Starr, whose marriage to Alexander Hamilton Masters takes place October 10th. The guests were received by Mrs. Faulkner and Miss Sallie Doe Embrey, and were ushered to the punch bowl by little Miss Mary Embrey Faulkner. Miss Katherine Walker, of Somerset, Va., served the punch. From there the guests were shown to the bride's book, where each guest was asked to write a good wish for the bride. The house was charmingly decorated in yellow and white. The honoree was the recipient of a handsome cut-glass pitcher, the gift of the choir.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club met with Mrs. J. C. Hedgepeth this week. Mrs. Charles G. Harrison made the highest score, and was awarded a pair of silk hose. After the games, the guests were served with a surprise dinner, given in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Ralph B. Coit, one of the members. The honoree was showered with many lovely gifts from the club members. Guests of the club for the afternoon were Mrs. Charles Weill and Miss Alice Vaiden Williams.

Miss Elizabeth Crawford delightfully entertained at her home on Walker Avenue Tuesday evening. Many games were enjoyed, after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. R. Edmunds entertained the Needlecraft Club at her home on South Mendenhall street Tuesday afternoon. After the meeting, refreshments were served, Mrs. R. Murphy Williams and Miss Mary Nash Edmunds assisting the hostess. Several guests were present in addition to the regular members, and a delightful afternoon was spent.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized on Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. L. M. Watson, 410 Guilford avenue, when her daughter became the bride of Charles Burman. The home was charmingly decorated for the occasion, palms and trailing asparagus being used. Before the ceremony Karl Ljung sang "Because." Mrs. John S. Michau played the wedding march. The ring ceremony was used, Rev. J. Clyde Turner, pastor of the First Baptist church, performing the ceremony.

Miss Watson is well and favorably known in Greensboro where she has many friends. The bridegroom is in the employ of the Armour Fertilizer Company, as traveling auditor. After October 5th they will be at home at 410 Guilford avenue.

The Girls Benevolent Club met Tuesday morning with Mrs. Fred C. Odell, at 38 North Elm street. This was the first meeting of the autumn, and the club had much business to discuss.

The K. D. K. Club met Saturday afternoon with Miss Claire Stafford at her home on West Washington street. At the close of a delightful afternoon, Miss Stafford served a delicious salad course.

Misses Mary and Eva Thomas entertained the Parmi Six Club on Saturday afternoon complimentary to Miss Jessie Paschal, of Westfield, N. J. Progressive hearts was the game for the afternoon. Miss Edith Haller was awarded the prize, a dainty crepe de chine handkerchief, for making the most progressions. A crepe de chine handkerchief was also presented to the honor guest, while the consolation went to Miss Mary Sanders.

IMPORTANT WORK OF CHURCH

Southern Presbyterian Church and Other Denominations Observing Today as Sunday School Day

All of the Presbyterian churches in Wilmington will observe today as "Rally Day" in the interest of Sunday school extension, which is to be observed throughout the Southern Presbyterian church. As this is the logical time for the Sunday schools to resume their fall activities, other churches of other denominations are also observing this as a rally day and it is expected that there will be an unusually large attendance.

The special object of the rally day exercises of the Presbyterian church is to remind the members in a forcible and impressive way of the immediate needs of the Sabbath school department of the executive committee of Sabbath school extension.

Under the direction of this committee 31 Sabbath school missionaries or field workers are employed constantly in communities where the committee feels their work is most needed. A much larger number of these field workers is needed and the committee could place effectively almost 100 if the funds at its disposal were sufficient to provide salaries and equipment. All of the work of the Sabbath school extension, including the salaries and equipment of field workers, is supported by the contributions made for this cause an "Rally Day" each year.

Special efforts are being made to secure larger contributions from the Sabbath schools on this specia day Sabbath schools on this special day previous "Rally Day." The Sabbath schools are being reminded of these important facts in this connection: In the 16 states of the South, 75 per cent of the popuation of 32,480,343 live in rural districts, three per cent are foreign born and 10,282,383 of the population are children and youths. The Sabbath school enrollment in these 16 states is 5,956,789, these figures showing that 3,000,000 white children and 2,000,000 colored children in the South are not connected with any Sunday school.

The neighborhood surveys conducted by Sabbath school workers of the Southern Presbyterian church have proven most helpful in the work of Sabbath school extension, furnishing as they do vital statistics concerning work among the foreign-born, among people on the frontier, among the residents of mill districts, as well as in rural communities. The missions conducted in the cites, the kndergartens maintained and other phases of volunteer work prompted by the efforts of the Sabbath school extension department of the church are productive of large results.

STROLLERS' QUARTETTE

Will Open Lyceum Series Under Auspices of St. Andrew's Brotherhood

The first lyceum number of the Alkahest lyceum course, which will be given under the auspices of St. Andrew's Brotherhood, will be presented in St. Andrew's auditorium, Fourth and Campbell streets, on Wednesday, October 9. It will be the Strollers' Quartette.

This quartette has been organized ten years this fall, and its personnel is the same now as when first organized. Mr. Ross Crane, president of the International Lyceum Association, recently said of the Strollers' Quartette; "The Strollers is unquestionable one of the leading quartettes on the platform, both as a singing organization and in their specialty and entertainment features."

TO CHASE MEMBERSHIPS

Boys of Y. M. C. A. Start Energetically to Work on Campaign.

Three membership cards have been given to three Wilmington men which are going to be sought very energetically by boys in the city on Monday and Tuesday of this week. The first three boys to locate these membership cards will be given free membership in the association for the ensuing year.

The workers in the campaign had an interesting meeting last night. They were enthusiastic over the outlook and expect to reach the goal of 300 without trouble.

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THE BOY SCOUT MOVEMENT

As an Agency for Constructive Social Service Work.

By Philip W. Carter.

Executive Secretary of the Alumni Social Service Bureau, Boston, Mass.

Many men have an idea that social service work is a highly specialized profession and that some peculiar form of ability is required. In the minds of many (especially business men) the typical social worker is rather peculiar and eccentric individual, possessed of a modicum of business ability, a passion for his work and with a tendency to view everything else in life as of secondary importance.

My opinion is that while there may be some basis for this estimate of the typical social worker, that it is not fair to make such a sweeping statement. A few exaggerated types should not lead an outsider to write down the entire class of social workers. I know many splendid red-blooded people—men and women—who have vision, breadth of mind, balance and business ability. If this were not the case, I should certainly be most unhappy in my chosen field of work.

Inspiration of Human Problems.

I took up professional social service work about two years ago as the result of a constantly growing feeling that the hum-drum of business would never call forth my entire energy—nervous, mental and physical. Machines, figures and books are not nearly so inspiring as human beings and the study of the thousand and one problems woven into their lives.

Fortunately, a splendid opportunity presented itself late in the fall of 1913. An investigation covering a period of nearly a year had been made by a committee of representative college graduates at the instigation of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A., in New York, for the purpose of ascertaining the need for a social service clearing house in Boston. Hitherto there had been no central agency acting as a go-between between the settlement houses, immigration societies, boy scout organization, etc., etc., and the mass of college graduates which drift into the city every fall. It was difficult for professional social workers to recruit volunteers from the ranks of the college graduates and it was equally difficult for a public spirited graduate seeking an outlet for his energy to make a satisfactory connection. It not infrequently happened that some one organization received far more assistance than many others which were in even greater need of help.

Alumni Social Service Bureau.

All this was several years ago. We now have the Alumni Social Service Bureau, a voluntary association composed of fifteen prominent graduates representing ten different colleges and universities, as follows: Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, Williams, Amherst, Cornell, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Brown, Bowdoin and Boston University. An office has been maintained at 161 Devonshire street, Boston, since January 1, 1914. It has been my privilege to act as the Bureau's executive secretary since its inception.

In 1914 over forty different civic, social and philanthropic agencies applied to the bureau for volunteers and three hundred men would have been needed to fill the entire demand. The work which the volunteers were asked to do consisted of leading boys' clubs, teaching immigrants English, civics, government and history, boy scout work, juvenile court work, friendly visiting for the associated charities, making social surveys, etc., etc.

Emphasis on Citizenship.

Looking back on the past year's work, it is rather hard to select any one phase of the work as being more important or more interesting than any other. Perhaps a little more attention has been paid to work among the immigrants than would be the case were it not for the terrible war now raging in Europe. It is but natural that we should focus our attention during these trying times on the foreign element in our midst. One of the lessons of the war, so far as the United States is concerned, is the realisation that we are responsible individually and collectively for our immigrants. They must be protected, educated, properly distributed and assimilated. Unless this is done we shall never be relieved of the embarrassment caused by our so-called hyphenated citizens. Now let us go a step further. It is necessary to not only know "who's who" so that in case of war we would have nothing to fear from supposed allies, but it is imperative that all those who are born in this country, regardless of their descent, be educated in the duties, responsibilities and privileges of American citizenship. Unless this is done, we cannot hop to have a united, enthusiastic, loyal people—zealous in guarding the welfare of this country in times of peace as well as war.

Going a step further, let us see how we may hope to attain this end. Can we not achieve the results desired by making a systematic effort to develop all our young boys, into strong, honest, manly, resourceful and patriotic citizens? Emphatically, yes!

What the Scout Movement Can Do.

Now it so happens that there exists today an organization covering the length and breadth of the land which aims to supplement the various existing educational agencies and to promote the ability in boys to do things for themselves and for others. I refer to the boy scouts. This splendid movement represents the community's opportunity to reach the boy for good citizenship. Under proper direction it can be adapted with equally good results to all classes of boys. The kernel of the Scout Movement is scoutcraft. This includes instruction in first aid, life saving, tracking, signaling, cycling, nature study, seamanship, camporaft, woodcraft, chivalry, patriotism and other subjects. This is accomplished by means of games and team play and is not work, but pleasure, for the boys. All that is needed is the out-of-doors, a group of boys and a competent leader.

Now, where are we going to get this same leader? Are we not going to turn to those men who, by reason of their education, training and natural abilities, owe a greater debt to the community than many others? Should not those who are peculiarly qualified to carry on this useful and necessary work step forward to do their full share?

College Men Should Help.

Finally, who are these men whom we now have in mind—who, indeed, but the very mass of college graduates referred to in the beginning of this article. A large number of college men are connected with the Scout Movement, either as members of committees or as scoutmasters. More are being attracted to the work every year with very profitable results.

A scoutmaster's task is not arduous, provided that the man in question is interested in boys, is in hearty sympathy with them and knows how to control them. He is usually chosen to take up this work because of his good moral character and because of the influence for good which he will have on the boys under him. As a leader of the troop he is responsible for its meetings, outings and general programme. He is responsible for his work to the local council, which stands ready to give him such information and advice as he may need from time to time.

Personally, I cannot conceive of any form of social or civic activity which presents more varied, more interesting and more useful opportunities for constructive work than the boy scout movement. College graduates will find in this work a wonderful outlet for their energy and will have the satisfaction of knowing that they are making an important contribution toward the building up of a healthy, virile citizenship.

MASONBORO LEADS THE STATE IN ATTENDANCE

Secretary R. E. Parker, Speaks To Community Club

Economic Uses of Birds Discussed by Secretary of State Audubon Society. Mr. Hugh MacRae Speaks on Need of Co-Operation

That the recently organized Community League of Masonboro already leads all of the leagues of the State in the average attendance at its meetings is the interesting information contained in a circular letter sent out by the State Service Bureau, which was read at an enthusiastic meeting at the school house in that community last night.

The occasion was the regular monthly meeting of the League and there were more than 100 people present. The economic uses of birds were discussed in a very instructive illustrated lecture by Mr. Roscoe E. Parker, of Raleigh, secretary of the State Audubon Society, who was sent down by Mr. W. C. Crosby, secretary of the State Community League work.

Mr. Hugh MacRae made a short address in which he told of the wonderful results that can be achieved through co-operation. Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the Wilmington schools, and Prof. Washington Catlett, county superintendent of education, made short addresses. Mr. J. P. Herring, president of the league, presided at the meeting.

Mr. Parker's lecture was illustrated by more than a hundred slides, giving pictures of birds. He explained that more than a million dollars a year is lost in the United States through insects that could be prevented by having sufficient birds to consume them. He urged the conservation of birds from an economic standpoint, if not other.

Every school ought to take as its slogan, "New Hanover a Model County," said Mr. Blair, who pointed out that the ways the county can be made a model. First of all is the good roads, said he, which are already improved, then the educational interests, the agricultural interests, health and sanitation and the conservation of birds, trees and plants. If the county can be made o model in these respects, then it wi indeed be a model for the other counties. He suggested that the Boy Scouts might very well take up the idea of conserving the bird life of the county.

Mr. MacRae's address struck the key note of community development. He showed how that when a man begins to try to help the community, he at once begins to help himself.

The report of the educational committee of the league, read by Mr. Henry Peschau, showed that out of a total of 59 children in the school district, 50 are in school with an average attendance of 48. The report on health and sanitation will be taken up at a later meeting.

Misses Belle Westbrook and Maud McLeod, the efficient teachers of the schools, expressed their appreciation of having the opportunity to work in such a progressive community and assured those present of their determination to aid and assist in every way possible in the community's development.

MR. JACK LONDON EXPLAINS WRITING TO THE TEACHERS

Prof. Washington Catlett Re-Elected President of Association.

Mr. Jack London, not the well known writer but a writing expert, made a very interesting address to the rural teachers of New Hanover at an interesting meeting held yesterday at the Hemenway building, this being their monthly meeting. Mr. London was in Wilmington in the interest of the Palmer system of writing which has been adopted for the public schools. The teachers are going to emphasize writing in the schools and Professor Catlett expects the children to learn to be first class pensman.

Professor Catlett was re-elected president of the association and Mrs. J. Herbert Johnston was elected as secretary. The reading course for the ensuing year was discussed and the teachers have already entered upon this work which will be done under the direction of Prof. L. A. Williams, of the University of North Carolina.

MINSTREL MAIDS PLEASE.

Billy Clifford's Comedians Greeted by Fair Audience.

"Billy Clifford's Minstrel Maids" in their farce comedy, "Linger Longer Lucy", were greeted by a fair audience at both their appearances at the Academy of Music yesterday.

The show was advertised as being merely a mirth provoking comedy, with no pretentions to being taken seriously. As a comedy, however, it was successful in keeping the crowd in a good humor, and never permitting the interest to lag. They pulled a number of "gags" that were new, and some, too, that were not so young.

Mr. Nick Glynn, in the character of "Funny Nicodemus", proved to be one of the best laugh producers, that has visited Wilmington this season. Miss Gloria Weston, as a violin soloist, was also worthy of note. Mr. Clifford, garbed in the uniform of a United States soldier, drew considerable applause with his preparedness song. The audience seemed to enjoy the performances.

TO RESUME SERVICES

Holy Communion Service at St. James This Morning.

The regular winter schedule of services will be resumed at St. James' church today after the usual summer's relaxation, according to an announcement made by Rev. William H. Milton, rector. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 11 o'clock, and the rector urges all members of the congregation to be present.

An organization meeting for the Sunday school will be held at 3:45 this afternoon. All children in the parish, who are over four years of age, are invited, together with their teachers to attend. The week day services on Wednesday and Friday will be resumed the coming week. The Brotherhood of St. Andrew will meet Wednesday evening.

SCHOOL OPENS THURSDAY

School Formerly Run by Miss Pierce to be Directed by Miss Hicks.

The school established and conducted in Wilmington last year by Miss Margaret Peirce will be resumed during the coming year under the direction of Miss Atha Hicks. Miss Peirce will give a demonstration of the opening of the school in the Cape Fear Apartments on Thursday morning, October 5, at 10:30.

Some of the five year old children, who attended this school but half a term last year, are prepared for second grade work in the public schools of the city, it is stated, because of the development resulting from the undivided attention received.

It is the purpose of the school to take children from 4 to 6 years old, and in the two years spent in this school, lay a broad basis for all future development. By properly using this time so frequently undirected, it is now claimed by educators that several years of time in the public schools can be saved.

Miss Hicks will be assisted by Miss Marie Flowden, who will have charge of the music, and Madame Hatchell, who have conversational French. All of these teachers were with Miss Peirce last year. She herself expects to keep in close touch with the work and make occasional visits to the school.

—Rev. Dr. John Jeter Hurt will preach tonight at the First Baptist church on the subject of "What is Hell, Anyway?" Attractive cards, giving the location of the church, the subject and hour of the meeting have been distributed about the city.

RARE TREAT PROMISED TO THE MUSIC LOVERS OF CITY.

Recital by Miss Anna Graham Harriss and Assisting Artists Tomorrow.

The music lovers of the city and others, who would enjoy contributing to a most worthy cause, are again reminded of the high class concert to be given in the Academy of Music Monday evening by Miss Anna Graham Harriss, contralto; Mr. John Ferguson Harriss, basso; Mr. J. E. Vilim, violinist, and Mr. Wm. G. Robertson, accompanist.

While some few of the numbers that will be rendered are rather classical yet there are enough of those in lighter vein to appeal to those whose musical tastes demand more of melody and less of intricacy in technical rendition.

The sale of seats has progressed favorably in the past few days, but there remain many good seats which late comers will find eminently satisfactory. There will be no reserved seats at all and the price has been placed within the reach of all and will be on sale at the store of Munson & Co. up to and including the hour of 6 o'clock Monday afternoon. Below will be found the programme, a perusal of which will convince those who have already purchased tickets and those who may decide at the last minute, that a most delightful evening is in store for them:

Part I.

Piano Solo—Selected.
William G. Robertson.

a—Sunshine Song .....Van Rennes
b—Passing By .....Purcell
c—Invocation to Eros.....Kursteiner
Miss Harris

a—O Thou Sublime Sweet Evening Star ..... Wagner
b—Boot and Saddle.....Rogers
J. F. Harris, Jr.

a—Lungi Dal caro bene .....Sacchi
b—O don fatale .....Verdi
Miss Harris

Part II

Piano Solo—Selected.
William G. Robertson.

My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice ..... Saint-Saens
Miss Harris and Mr. Vilim

a—Invictus .....Huhn
b—Big Ben .....Ponjet
c—Had a Horse .....Korbay
J. F. Harris, Jr.

Violin Solo—"Scene De Ballet"..... Ch. de Beriot
J. E. Vilim

a—Hindu Slumber Song.....Ware
b—The Wind .....Spross
c—Deep in My Heart a Lute Lay Hid. Aylward
d—Flower Rain .....Schneider
Miss Harris

SCHOOL SHOES BUILT FOR Service.—Peterson and Ruffs. (advertisement.)

BON MARCHE'S INFORMAL FALL OPENING TOMORROW.

Have Varied Assortment of Seasonable Merchandise.

The Bon Marche will hold an informal opening of their new fall stock of seasonable merchandise, tomorrow. The doors will be opened at 9 o'clock. While the store's new fixtures have not as yet arrived, and makeshift ones will have to be used, the Bon Marche management does not intend to let this stand in the way of producing one of the prettiest openings of the season in Wilmington.

The ready-to-wear department is one that the Bon Marche specializes in, and is one that visitors to the store tomorrow, will find well stocked with all the latest creations in ready-made garments. The millinery department, too, is well stocked with the kind of headgear that is dear to a woman's heart.

Ribbons and laces will be featured, along with an ultra fashionable line of neckwear, gloves and handbags. Handsome silk hosiery offerings will also be in evidence to gladden the hearts of the feminine customers, who will doubtless throng the store tomorrow morning.

BIBLE CLASSES ORGANIZED.

Plans Made at Meeting of Religious Work Committee.

Plans for the opening of the Bible Association were discussed at a meeting of the Executive committee of the General Religious Work committee at the Y. M. C. A. last night. A Bible class rally will be held Monday night, at which time talks will be made by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, Mr. R. F. Coleman, of the Religious Work committee, and Mr. L. D. Latta, chairman of the Bible Study committee.

It was decided to institute a Bible study course, the students of which will be required to take an examination at the close of the spring term. This examination, however, will not apply to the class conducted by Dr. McClure. The teachers of the various classes will be as follows: Fellowship class, Dr. A. D. McClure; Teachers' Training class, Mr. Odis B. Hinnant; Young Men's class, teacher to be selected; Personal Workers' class, Rev. J. A. Sullivan; Mission Study class, teacher to be selected.

Beginning October 15th, it was decided to hold a Discussion class on Sunday evenings at 6:30, and a Men's Fellowship class at 5 o'clock.

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NORTH CAROLINA HAS THE MINERAL NEEDED

Sufficient Coal Supply Also for Armor Plate Plant.

Dr. J. H. Pratt, Mr. Bion Butler and Others Join Fayetteville in Efforts to Secure Government Establishment for State.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, Sept. 30.—North Carolina probably contains the largest deposits of chromite, from which is made chromium, used in the manufacture of chrome steel, of any state in the eastern part of the country, declares Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State geologist, in a statement of the mineral resource of North Carolina as relating to the location of the proposed government armer plate plant in this State. "North Carolina contains enormous deposits of iron ore that are located in many sections of the State," says Dr. Pratt, writing to the chamber of commerce of this city. "While but few of these have been operated during the past years on account of the low price of iron, yet with the increased price of pig iron and better transportation facilities, I believe many of these deposits can now be profitably operated. To a depth of 100 feet there are at the present time iron ores available in North Carolina as follows:

"Magnetite, 6,650,000 tons.
"Titanic magnetite, 1,510,000 tons.
"Hematite, 250,000 tons.
"Limonite, 725,000 tons.

"As pig iron increases in price it will be possible to operate additional ores in the State and other ore reserves will become available, such as

"Magnetite, 8,975,000 tons.
"Titanic magnetite, 1,300,000 tons.
"Hematite, 900,000 tons.
"Limonite, 5,000,000 tons.

"There are in the western part of the State deposits of chromite. This is the mineral from which chromium is made and which is used in the manufacture of chrome steel. North Carolina probably contains the largest deposits of this mineral of any state in the eastern part of the country."

Bion H. Butler, field representative of the North Carolina State Fair, has written to Secretary Daniels concerning the armor plate and projectile plant pointing out that a coal supply can be found at Egypt, in this State, 43 miles from Fayetteville, and that it is a quality of coal that compares, on the analysis of Professor A. S. McCreath, of Pennsylvania, with the high-grade coals of the Connellsville fields, in the Keystone state, and that it can be supplied to a mill in Fayetteville for less than coal can be put down at any other point in the east that is accessible to the coast by water, as Fayetteville is.

Among the prominent men who have heartily endorsed Fayetteville's claim as the logical point for the armor plate plant are Senator F. M. Simmons, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, Representative Claude Kitchin, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives, Senator Lee S. Overman, Representative H. L. Godwin, Representative E. W. Pou, Representative George E. Hood, Hugh MacRae, president of the Tidewater Power Company, Wilmington; Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State geologist, University of North Carolina; A. W. MacLean, of Lumberton, Democratic National committeeman; R. J. Reynolds, of Winston-Salem, president of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company; James A. Gray, Jr., treasurer of the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, Winston-Salem; James Sprunt, Wilmington; B. S. Royster, Oxford; R. S. Davis, Jr., cashier First National Bank of Rocky Mount; Bion H. Butler, Southern Pines; Dr. A. J. McKelway, Washington, D. C., secretary of the National Child Labor committee; H. S. Ledbetter, manufacturer of bagging, Rockinghom; W. F. Carter, attorney at law, Mount Airy; H. C. McQueen, president Murchison National Bank, Wilmington; Dr. C. G. Vardell, president of Flora MacDonald College; Thomas H. Battle, president of the National Bank of Rocky Mount; T. B. Fuller, president of the Golden Belt Manufacturing Company, Durham; Nathan O'Berry, president of he Whiteville Lumber Company, Goldsboro; Joseph B. Ramsey, attorney at law, Rocky Mount; Rober Ransom, Weldon; W. D. Turner, attorney at law, Statesville; John F. McNair, merchant, Laurinburg.

In addition to these are strong endorsements from the Asheville board of tradt and the Greensboro, Charlotte, Raleigh, Goldsboro, Kinston, Wilmington and New Bern chambers of commerce, as well as the support of the State press.

One of the best known business men of North Carolina, writing to a Fayetteville friend, says, "It may cheer you to know that I met a man in Trenton, N. J., who stated that in his opinion the armor plate plant would probably be located in North Carolina. I did not have time to stop and ask him his reasons, but imagine he had some good ones."

Two Fayetteville men who have been traveling in South Carolina and West Virginia, have found many prominent men in those states who not only think Fayetteville the proper place for the armor plate but expressed their intention of backing their opinion with active support.

The committee of Fayetteville citizens who returned the latter part of the week from a conference with Senator Simmons, in New Bern, were much encouraged with the result of the visit.

At a Booster Day luncheon dinner which the local men attended the New Bern chamber of commerce adopted strong resolutions favoring backing Fayetteville as the site for the armor plant. The Fayetteville men were royally treated by the live wires of New Bern.

EXPORTS FOR SEPTEMBER.

Shipments From Newport News During Month About $8,000,000.

Newport News, Va. September 30. — Exports from Newport News totaled approximately $8,000,000 during the month ending today, according to figures compiled by the customs authorities. Grain, horses and coal were the chief articles of export.

The monthly export trade of this port has ranged between $7,000,000 and $11,000,000 since the beginning of the European war. All grain and horses and a great deal of general merchandise leaving here is intended for use of the allied armies of Europe.

MR. J. E. COWELL DISPOSES OF HIS TWO BARBER SHOPS

Mr. P. H. Evans Now Owner of Two of City's Best Equipped Places.

Mr. J. E. Cowell, who has for the past five years conducted two of the leading barber shops in Wilmington, one being under the People's Bank at Front and Princess street, and the other in the basement of the Orton hotel, has disposed of his interests in the business in order to devote his entire time to the operating of the Clarendon farm on the lower Cape Fear river, which he purchased yesterday. Mr. Cowell has been prominent in the barber business for many years, having run a shop on Market street before opening up the place at Front and Princess. He has had the Orton shop for a longer period still.

The shops will continue to be known as Cowell's shops, but will be under the management of Mr. P. H. Evans, who has worked in the Princess street shop for the past year. Mr. Evans has had considerable experience in the barber business, having managed shops in Philadelphia and Wildwood, N. J., for a period of five years and later owning the shop in the Hotel Lorraine in Norfolk, Va., one of the largest, and said to be one of the best equipped in the South. He is a worthy successor to Mr. Cowell.

Mr. Evans has already arranged to secure the services of Miss Marta G. Crowley, now at the New Willard hotel in Washington, D. C., who will be manicurist and hair dresser at the Orton shop. Mr. James White, of Norfolk, an expert child's hair dresser, will be at the Princess street shop in a few days. Mr. Harry Pyle, who has had direct supervision of the Orton shop for a number of years, will continue in the same capacity under Mr. Evans.

Mr. Evans states that it is his intention to spend considerable money, in improvements and this will give Wilmington two shops equipped to give the best service possible.

JUJUBE A PROMISING CROP.

Chinese Tree Bears Many Varieties of Fruit.

(From the Columbia State).

The Chinese jujube (ziziphus sativa) is regarded by F. N. Meyer, explorer for the United States Bureau of Plant Industry, as one of the most promising tree crops of China. There are probably 300 or 400 named varieties, and while the wild shrubs bear red-brown, sour fruits no larger than small marbles, some of the selected varieties of Chinese farmers yield a product as large as a good-sized hen's egg.

The fruits vary much in other respects than size. Some types are spherical and of very dark brown color, others are very elongated and light mahogany brown; some have very solid meat and can be kept several weeks, others are very spongy and must be eaten within a few days after ripening; some cannot be dried, others can be easily dried and kept most of the year. A few varieties form a much prized sweetmeat when smoked like hams or herrings. Special treatment of one of the largest varieties with cane sugar and honey gives a delicious sweetmeat that is given by mandarins as presents and is served in the best hotels patronized by Europeans on steamboats between Japan and China, and at dinners of the legations in Peking. Though standing much neglect, the largest varieties of jujube are in the well cultivated orchards of Shansi province. Trees grown from seed in the southwestern United States have borne small and comparatively worthless fruit, but the choice grafted trees lately introduced in Texas and California have had heavy yields of good quality.

THE BON MARCHE CHARTERED.

In List of Five New North Carolina Corporations.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 30.—Charters were issued today for five new North Carolina enterprises as follows:

The Bon Marche, Wilmington, capital $125,000 authorized and $5,000 subscribed, for business in dry goods, notions, ready-to-wear garments and the like. The incorporators are S. Lipinsky, M., S. W. and L. Lipinsky, all of Asheville.

The Charlotte Paving Co., of Charlotte, capital $25,000 authorized and $2,200 subscribed by J. W. Hoss, W. F. McCanless and George T. Smith, for a general paving and contracting business.

The H. M. Kramer Tobacco Co., of Durham, capital $50,000 authorized and $10,000 subscribed by H. M. Kramer, J. M. Lipscomb and J. C. Allen, for a tobacco growing and manufacturing business, including a leaf tobacco business, especially.

The Carolina Produce Co., Bandana, Mitchell county, capital $100,000 authorized and $5,000 subscribed by W. C. Yerger, Tennessee; R. L. Burbank and others, of Lexington, N. C., for a general quarrying and mining business.

The Sharpe-Underwood-Garrison Co., of Burlington, capital $50,000 authorized and $10,000 subscribed by W. P. Sharpe, Winston-Salem; W. L. Garrison and others, of Burlington, for operating granite and marble quarries.

UNIQUE PUNISHMENT

Oversealous Recruit Pulled Trigger Too Soon.

(Plattsburg Correspondence.)

Gun-handling is serious business. Just at present 1,500 rookies are playing with army rifles loaded with real bullets, and their officers are making every effort to keep them impressed with a proper and sustained realization of the serious consequences that might come from careless handling of their pieces. But despite all their labors to be serious, comedy will at times stick its head out uexnpectedly and make mirth of their best efforts—even converting, as it happened in one instance, the best conceived measure of discipline into a joke.

Take the case of Al Bloomhower, a most earnest young rookie. He and his comrades were practicing volley firing, and in his eagerness to shoot at the word of command he pulled the trigger too soon. The commanding officer had cautioned them against premature firing, and he stiffened with military indignation at this breach of instructions, commanding the culprit to step forward.

Dutifully did the dismayed Boomhower step in front of the staring ranks of his comrades, and there before all their eyes he was given a special lecture on the wickedness of shooting ahead of time. And the camp yarn continues:

"And furthermore," the commanding officer told him, "until further notice you will not fire your gun, but will simply simulate the motions of firing and at the same time say 'Boom!' until further orders."

The crestfallen offender crept back to his place, and spent the rest of the firing period pulling his trigger and saying "Boom!" And if any hapless comrade was moved to laugh at him, the glare of the commander effectually suppressed him. The ludicrousness of the penalty was well calculated as a preventive against a repetition of the offense by others, for ridicule is a hundred times harder to bear than plain censure. The young man who started life with Boomhower for a surname will graduate from rookiedom with "Boom" for a nickname.

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TWELVE THOUSAND FEET LOW-grade 2-in. long leaf plank at $12.00 per M, delivered in the city in lots of 500 feet or more. Suitable for stable and barn floors, decking, etc. Clark-Lynch Lumber Co. oc1-1t

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HOUSES FOR RENT — HOMES FOR rent. Our stock is one that you should look over before deciding where you will live. It will surely be to your advantage to do so. We invite your inspection of our "for rent" list. J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate and Insurance Agents. oc1-1t

FOR RENT — RESIDENCE, NO. 206 Grace street; seven rooms, with all modern conveniences. Possession at once, or Oct. 15th or 30th. 'Phone 145. W. A. McGirt, Masonic Temple Bldg. oc1-su,w,f-tf

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YOU MAY FEEL SAFE AND SURE, IF we fill your prescriptions. Our prescription record is over 263000! These thousands trusted us with their prescriptions. Why not you? Green's Drug Store. oc1-1t*

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LADIES — I HAVE SOMETHING THAT will interest you. I am local corsetier for the Spirella Corset. I will be glad to have you call at my room, at 202 Walnut st., and, after I have taken your measure, take your order for the corset most suitable to your figure. I guarantee perfect satisfaction. 'Phone 1706-W for engagement. oc1-1t

FOR RENT — ONE FRONT ROOM. All modern conveniences. Suitable for two or more. Also the best of table board, at reasonable price, at 202 Walnut st. oc1-1t

THE RURAL BUILDING AND LOAN Association will open new series on Saturday November 4th, 1916. You can subscribe for shares now. R. C. DeRosset, president; James Owen Reilly, secretary and treasurer. oc1-1t

MYRTLE COURT FARMS FOR SALE— Will sell from five to eighty acres of the most fertile soil in North Carolina at a bargain. On Wrightsville Turnpike. Has salt and fresh water creeks through the land. James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. oc1-1t

GLAVIN MACHINE SHOP FOR RENT, to desirable parties. Fine opportunity to build up a profitable business. Will rent to good parties at a low rental. For terms, apply to James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. oc1-1t

BUY A LOT AT CAROLINA PLACE — This property is sure to increase in value each year. Over thirty new dwellings being erected out there now. You only pay $10.00 down and $5.00 per month. Fine opportunity to make a good investment. James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. oc1-1t

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FOR RENT — OCT 1ST, THREE-ROOM apartment and bath. Large hall, back porch, large yard. Price $12.50 per month. Apply 408 Chestnut st. oc1-2t*

SALESMAN WANTED—CHOICE, PER-manent position in N. C. with very large Chicago concern marketing well advertised office specialty now booming. Cover small territory and live at home. Compensation based on commission, but $300 to $400 income may be counted on. B. E. Harris, Gen'l Sales Mgr., Monroe Bldg., Chicago. oc1-3t

WANTED — AT ONCE, TEN LADIES to travel demonstrate and sell well-established line to our dealers. Previous experience not necessary. Good pay. Dept. 472, Omaha, Nebr. oc1-5t*

SALESMAN — TRAVELING; SALARY and expenses or commission. Must be active, ambitious, willing to learn. Splendid opportunity. Former experience not essential. Landmark Cigar Co., Denver, Pa. oc1-1t*

FOR RENT — TO GENTLEMEN, NICE hall room, all modern conveniences; four squares from depot. Address "Room," care Star. oc1-1t*

STOP MENDING PUNCTURES. ANY tire treated with Orolo Punctureproof guaranteed free from puncture for one year. For automobiles, motorcycles and bicycles. Bicycles treated, both tires, $1.25. See J. A. Lassiter, 23 N. 2nd st. oc1-1t*

$12 PRINCESS — THOROUGHLY RE-modeled. New plumbing, large rooms and yard, for rent, $30.00 per month. L. W. Moore, Agent, 123 Princess. oc1-1t

206 ORANGE, 10 ROOMS, $30.00; 202 Orange 8 rooms, $35.00; 705 Orange, 7 rooms, $25.00; 615 Orange, 7 rooms, $25.00; 108 S. 9th, 7 rooms, $22.50; 905 Market, 10 rooms, $35.00; 418 South 4th, 7 rooms, $22.50; all modern; immediate possession. See L. W. Moore, agent, 123 Princess. oc1-1t

NO. 8 NORTH 4TH STREET, 9 ROOMS, thoroughly overhauled, good shape, for rent. $30.00 per month. L. W. Moore, Agent, 123 Princess. oc1-1t

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LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S SUITS dry cleaned and pressed, 75c.; suits pressed, 25c.; hats cleaned, blocked, 50c. Work can't be beat. Try us. American Practical Hatter, 128 Market st. 'Phone 393-J. oc1-1t*

FOR RENT — 1606 CHESTNUT ST., 814 Dock st. 903 Market st.; 719 Chestnut st., 316 S. Second st., 220 S. Fourth st., 422 S. Fifth st., 422 S. Fifth st., and others. D. R. Foster & Co.; 'Phone 1220. oc1-1t

WHY NOT HAVE THAT FALL SUIT cleaned and made to look like new? Suits cleaned, repaired, and pressed. $1.00. Suits pressed 25c. Ladies' suits a specialty. Prices moderate. Prompt and efficient service. Enterprise Cleaning and Pressing Works, 114½ Princess street. 'Phone 717. se27-7t

WANTED—SALESMEN. EXCELLENT proposition to men who are looking for a future. Give age, experience and reference. Sales Dept., Republic Paint & Lead Works, Cleveland, Ohio. oct1-1t*

WE HAVE FOR RENT A COMPLETE-ly furnished house. See M. C. Darby & Co. se29-tf

LOST—A GOLD THIMBLE MARKED E. H. M. Return to 207 Ann St. Reward. oct1-1t*

WANTED TO BUY FROM PRODUCER, a number one beef, pork, chickens and eggs. Peoples Market, 611 Castle street, Wilmington, N. C. oct1-1t*

FURNITURE—WE BUY SECOND-hand furniture. Get our prices before selling. Write or call. Phone 1026-J. Castle Street Furniture Co., 705 Castle street. oct1-1t*

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WE HAVE JUST SOLD TO ONE OF our customers a car load of dressed cypress at twenty-one dollars, delivered. We can furnish anything you want in lumber at just as reasonable prices. No orders too large. Cantwell Lumber Company, Oldest retail dealers. 'Phone No. 10. oct1-1t

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FOR RENT — A VERY DESIRABLE cottage at Winter Park. Also barn, garage, grape arbor, and a fine chicken house. Telephone 1150-W. oc1-1t*

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$50 DOWN, BALANCE $15.00 EACH month, buys 5-room cottage. See James & James. oc1-1t

FOR SALE — ONE SELF-FEEDER coal heater. 'Phone 704-W or apply to 410 N. Seventh street. oc1-1t*

FOR RENT — ONE NICELY FURNISH-ed front room. Suitable for one or two young men. Within 3 blocks of A. C. L. offices. All modern conveniences. Address "Permanent," care Star. oc1-1t*

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WANTED — FEW YOUNG LADIES TO make newly invented no-slip four-in-hand tie. We furnish material and pay ten and fifteen cents for making ties. Stamp for particulars. Address Elastic Tie Co. Fletcher, N. C. oc1-1t*

FOR RENT—ONE NICE, LARGE FUR-nished room, with all modern conveniences. 218 No. 2nd st. 'Phone 1670-J. oc1-1t*

FOR SALE — TWO OAK DRESSERS. Also sideboard and chairs. 'Phone 773. oc1-2t*

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FOR RENT — TWO MEDIUM SIZED rooms; hot and cold running water all the time. Bath annexed. Artesian ice water. Telephone. Reasonably priced. Call Wilmington Annex, cor. 3rd and Walnut, or Hotel Wilmington. oc1-3t

FOR RENT—ONE NICE, LARGE FUR-nished front room, with all modern conveniences. Address "Ideal," care Star. 'Phone 1219-W. oc1-1t*

BOARDER WANTED — NICE ROOM and good table board, in private family; $20.00 per month. Apply 410 Grace st. 'Phone 1263-J. oc1-1t*

BULBS, BULBS FRESHLY IMPORTED from Holland and France. Roman hyacinths, narcissus, etc. Plant now. Lucy B. Moore, The Florist. 15th and Market streets. oc1-7t

MARKET STREET ROAD, JUST BE-yond the city limits, we have for sale what we believe to be one of the most ideal places around Wilmington. This place could not be bought at any price but for the owner leaving the city. It will not be on the market long. Now is your opportunity. 'Phone James & James, Inc., Southern Building; 'Phone 163. oc1-1t

FOR RENT — VERY DESIRABLE house, 1916 Market street, Carolina Place. This place will go quick. See us Monday. James and James, Inc. oct1-1t

SPECIAL INVESTMENT STOCK OF Carolina B. & L. Association can be had any day this week. Specially attractive proposition as your shares mature; $100 about 3 1-2 years; $5.00 weekly means $1,000. Inquire at 123 Princess street. L. W. Moore, Sec'y. oc1-1t

FOR SALE—FOUR FRESH JERSEY cows. Eight Jersey heifers coming fresh. M. H. Richardson, Monroe, N. C. se 30-7t

WANTED—BLACK GUM LOGS, EITH-er by rail or water. Write Atlantic Coast Veneer Co., Wilmington, N. C. se 30-2t

FOR RENT — 103 SOUTH EIGHTH ST. 'Phone 745. Gordon Bros. se1-tf

LET ME REPAIR THAT STOVE, heater, or have same installed for winter. Phone 150. No. 12 Market street. O. P. Stucky, The man who knows. se 30-2t*

WANTED—YOUNG MEN AND WO-men to learn shorthand and bookkeeping, Oct. 3rd. Investigate. A good school. Wilmington Business College, 204 No. Front street. se 30-7t*

PUBLIC SERVICE — COMMERCIAL printing; multigraph fac-simile typewritten circulars; expert typewriting; notaries public; all yours for the asking. Harriss Typewriting & Adv. Co. se21-tf

FOR SALE—MATTING, WINDOW shades, stoves, furniture and screens. Phone 968-J, or apply 521 Dock St. se 20-2t*

WANTED—SALESMAN TO SELL LU-bricating oils and specialties. Big profits. Champion Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio. se 10-su-5t

MEN, WOMEN WANTED TO BECOME U. S. Government clerks, $75.00 month, short hours. List of positions now obtainable free, write immediately, Franklin Institute, Dept. 296-S, Rochester, N. Y. se 10-su-5t*

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES — A well rated and established manufacturing corporation wants capable business man to manage branch office and handle salesmen. Enormous profit; $300 to $1,000 capital necessary. Write for particulars and get in business for yourself. Address Gloria Company, 1427 Carroll Ave., Chicago, Ill. se24-su-tf

MEN—WE WILL TEACH YOU THE barber trade, pay you while learning, and give you a paying position in our barber shop. Set of tools free; everything for $30; $15 down and $15 in ten days. Jacksonville Barber College, Jacksonville, Fla. se17-su-2t*

BLANKETS — WE INVITE YOU TO call and inspect our noted Cohen System cleaned blankets. We guarantee satisfaction or no pay. We also have a special Dry Tumbler for drying washed blankets, which assures satisfaction. 'Phone 249. City Laundry Co., 26 N. 2nd street. se29-4t

FORD WANTED — WANTED, 1915 OR 1916 model Ford car. Either touring or roadster; 60 inch tread. Must be in good condition, and cheap for cash. Address Box 718, City. se29-3t

FOR RENT — FROM OCT. 1ST 114 Grace, 8-room, modern; close in. The place for select boarding house. See M. C. Darby & Co., 116 Princess. se29-1t

FOR RENT — APARTMENT, SECOND floor. Three rooms and bath. 806 Market street. Apply Miss Carrie White, care A. D. Brown. se28-th sa,su-3t

DRUG CLERK WANTED—FIRST class, all around man. State experience, qualification and salary expected. Sloan Bros., Greenville, S. C. se 26-tu-th-sa-su-4t*

WANTED—BY A 10-YEAR EXPER-ienced first class grocery man, position as clerk. Now employed but desires a change. Address "57 Variety", care Star. se 30-2t*

WANTED—SALESMAN TO SELL VIN-egar and cider. Exclusive or side line. Good contract to right man. Atlantic Vinegar Co., Richmond, Va. se 30-3t*

FOR RENT—116 NORTH THIRD ST., a three-room housekeeping apartment. Clean, comfortable, and in good condition. Lights and telephone included. Location central. se24-3t

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OYSTERS, OYSTERS, OYSTERS — EX-ed chickens, any size; young and hens, ed chickens, any size; youn and hens, any price; very best of beef, veal, lamb and pork; all pork sausages. Sweet potatoes, 25 cents pk. Cooking pears, same price. Batson's Meat Market, 115 Market. 'Phone 72. se28-1t

OLD NEWSPAPERS, SUITABLE FOR wrapping or placing under carpets, tied up in neat bundles and for sale at this office, 10 cents per hundred. mh 28-tf

FOR RENT — TO DESIRABLE PAR-ties, nice bungalow, on car line; Winter Park station; facing grove of pines. Section dry. Owner, 610 Chestnut street. se29-3t

A FEW CHOICE ARTICLES OF FUR-niture for sale at reasonable price. Apply at 616 Orange street or phone 1342-W. oct1-1t*

FOR RENT — HOUSE, 8-ROOM, MOD-ern; 422 South Front street. See M. C. Darby & Co. se29-tf

FOR RENT — 218 SOUTH THIRD ST., most approved residence section. See M. C. Darby & Co. se29--tf

FOR AN UP TO DATE APARTMENT, northern part of city, close in, see M. C. Darby & Co. se29-tf

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Those new, up-to-date 6- and 7-room Apartments, Nos. 418 and 420 South Fifth Avenue. Everything in first class condition. Lot 165 ft. deep. All the comforts of a modern home. Big reduction if rented this week. Your choice for $26.00 per month. Decidedly the best values of any renting property in the city.

W. G. WHITEHEAD
'Phones: 220-J and 408-J.

IF IT'S TIRES YOU WANT, WE HAVE the best on the market. Ask those who use them. Republic and Quaker. Gilbert and Memory, next to Star office. se3-su4t

FOR SALE — CASH OR ON TIME, FOR good collateral, our stock of fresh merchandise. The most popular corner in town. Store and lot also for sale. Apply at once to W. C. Keith Company, Atkinson, N. C. se17-su,m-6t

LOW PRICES ON FRESH NATIVE meats; loin steaks, round and porter house, 20 cents pound; good roast, 15 cents; chuck steak, 15 cents; rib stew, 12 cents; western pork chops, 24 cents. 'Phone 495. R. L. Burton, Sixth and Nixon streets. au27-su,w-tf

SHIP US YOUR POULTRY AND EGGS. We get top prices. Let us have your orders on fruits and vegetables. Charleston Fruit Co., Charleston, S. C. ap9-su,w-tf

REDUCED RATE AT COSTER'S—LA-dies' and gentlemen's suits cleaned, $1.00; felt hats cleaned and blocked, 50 cents; gentlemen's suits pressed, 25 cents. se17-su,m,th-10t

RIGHT AT YOUR ELBOW IS ONE OF the most complete printing and direct-by-mail advertising establishments in the state. We save you all the worry. Harriss Typewriting and Advertising Co. se21-tu,th,su-tf

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YOUNG MEN AND LADIES GOING off to school should prepare for rain. Raincoats for both ladies and gentlemen, $2.50. Colors: Two shades each of grey and olive. Write for samples. Storm Raincoat Co., 116 West Bank St., Petersburg, Va. se 10-tf

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UNREDEEMED — ONE 14-K. SOLID gold, 16 size, 21 jewel Hamilton Watch; worth $85.00; unredeemed price, $39.50; at Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop; 6 South Front Street. 'Phone 642. se22-tf

WANTED — 200 COLORED LABOR-ers for large steel plant. Wages, 20c per hour. Work 10 and 12 hours per day. Apply Employment Bureau, Worth Brothers Co., 3rd Ave., Coatesville, Pa. se25-7t

PLACE YOUR ORDERS FOR MAGA-zines and newspapers with Gordon Bros., 17 Princess street. 'Phone 745. au11-tf

NOTARIES PUBLIC ALWAYS AT YOUR service. Harriss Typewriting & Advertising Co. se21-tf

WANTED — NEWS AGENTS TO RUN on passenger trains. Van Noy Interstate Co., Hamlet, N. C. se27-tf

MOTTE'S SCHOOL OF SHORTHAND and typewriting—Day and night lessons. Leon L. Motte, official court stenographer, chief instructor. Phone 737-W. 105 Church St. se 16-30t

SPECIAL NOTICE — WE HAVE AN unlimited stock of fire-boards and all kinds of stove supplies. Call 'Phone 431 and expert stove man will be on the job in a short while. W. B. Klander, 8 South 2nd street. se17-tf

Just received, carload very nice bulk cabbage, 200 bags Green Mountain Irish Cobbler Potatoes, car of Apples, and some very fine Onions. Sickle Pears Cranberries, Lemons, Limes and Oranges, and complete line of Candies. Send us your orders.

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The Stake in the Presidential Campaign and Its Bearing on Verdict of the Voters---Answer to an Independent

(From the Springfield, Mass., Republican).

To the Editor: An independent in politics, I confess myself puzzled over the present situation, and admiring your sane editorial comment I should be interested in a fair and impartial "summing up" of both sides to the present day. Personally I feel that the country owes Mr. Wilson a debt of gratitude for his part in keeping us out of the world struggle. I also feel that too many flaws have developed in his Mexican policy to resent the suggestion that it might have been handled more capably by others. I deplore a certain element in the Republican party as I deplore a number of the President's appointments and many whom Democracy has raised to high places. I admire and have faith in much of the present Congress's legislation. I believe there is much truth in the assertion that "legislation before investigation" is dangerous. I am frankly disappointed in Mr. Hughes as a "100 per cent candidate." I believe (and think you do) that he is not doing himself justice—that in spite of his campaign he would bring intelligence, justice and patriotism to the highest office in our land. I believe that the question of capital and labor is coming to be an issue and that it must be met on its merits; not on expediency. I do not believe that the low tariff, in ordinary times, properly protects American industry, I believe that Mr. Wilson stands for as much "preparedness" as any other reasonable citizen. I deplore false campaign "issues" and slanders. The office of President should command respect and consideration at all times.

INDEPENDENT.

Springfield, Sept. 9, 1916.

The Maine election was close enough to show that, in all probability, the election in November will be close. This accords perfectly with the view of the political situation with which The Republican started out in the present campaign. The Democratic party has not been consistently a majority party in the United States for about 60 years, and, as soon as the Hughes nomination was accepted by Mr. Roosevelt and the bulk of his following, it was clear that President Wilson's re-election depended upon the political action of a small body of unattached voters so distributed among pivotal states as to give the President strength in the electoral college. The Maine voting indicated that the regular Democratic vote is at its maximum, but that is never enough to elect a Democratic President. The question of the next presidency will be determined, evidently, by men like our correspondent, who tie themselves to no party and who cannot be boxed up and delivered with any leader's personal following.

The Democratic Party.

Unsatisfactory as the Democratic party is in many respects, it is what the character of the country makes it and for years to some it must furnish the only alternative to the rule of the other major party in the federal government. The long period of mere negative opposition to which the Democratic party was condemned seriously injured it, because a party must have an occasional opportunity to exercise all its political functions, if it is to be an adequate agent of government for and by the people. The country is injured, also, if the parties are not given their turn. Many of the defects in the Wilson administration which are attacked so severely by the Republicans are the neutral result of the Democratic party's minority position for decades at a time. It had had no opportunity to train Democrats as expert administrators, diplomatists, departmental chiefs and responsible statesmen.

The Republican press and leaders would have one believe that the marvel of the Wilson administration is its badness! the truth is that the marveal of the Wilson administration is its goodness. That statement should not be misunderstood. Parties must have training in responsible government as well as the whole people, and our contention is that, in view of what the Democratic party was by virtue of its long exclusion from power, it has literally done wonders in making itself a dependable organ of government under the most terrific responsibility and strain. The New Republic, edited by a group of progressives, confirms our view in this particular by saying: "Handicapped as they were by inexperience, and confronted by novel and unusually perplexing problems, the Democrats have under his (Wilson's) leadership come back as an effective governing body. It is they, rather than the Republicans, who are now showing the ability to plan, deliberate, revise and finally act without falling into irreparable dessensions." The record of the past eight years proves the truth of this judgment from a source not overfriendly. In its last administration the Republican party was so rent by discord that it was disrupted. The Democratic party under Wilson has been "an effective governing body."

What Democratic Defeat Means.

If the American people now drive Mr. Wilson from power, they will proclaim that they do not value in the least his tremendous achievement of making one of the major parties, which for a generation had been almost a byword for aimlessness and futility, a strong, seasoned and "effective governing body." They will discard this party at the moment when its wide experience has at last become a national asset and when its administrative efficiency must increase with further responsibility by reason of the training its administrators have already received. They will blast the political career of the leader who has made these things possible and who, in a second administration, could be expected to correct many faults which his party and his first administration had developed. They will discourage the Democratic party in its honest effort to become a satisfactory alternative under the two-party system, and cast it back to the control of the old party hacks of the pre-Wilson era. Instead of the reward of a vote of confidence, which it has fairly earned, the Democratic party will be given the kicks that usually go to hopeless failures, and able, patriotic and forward-looking men will see less than ever a reason for trying to use it for those ends which in some measure must be achieved if government by the people is to endure. Will it be well for the country for the American people to do this? It is a question not for partisans, nor "100 per cent candidates," but for patriots to answer.

In deciding how to vote, two main considerations may legitimately influence a man so open minded as our cor-

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Bon Marche | *Mail Orders Promptly Filled* | **Bon Marche** | *Write for Our Monthly Bulletin* | **Bon Marche**

Announcing the Informal Opening of
The New Bon Marche Tomorrow---Monday Morning at 9 o'Clock

This store will open its doors tomorrow morning to welcome the Wilmington people into its varied assortment of seasonable merchandise. For more than four weeks merchandise has been coming into this store until now we are able to announce complete assortments in the various lines. Europe as well as America has contributed her share to this wonderful array. Charming laces and brilliant metal trimmings of France and Switzerland vie with the sturdier products of American manufacturers.

While our fixtures have not arrived and we must make-shifts in order to display the merchandise, the delightful variety and splendid quality of the Bon Marche goods displayed for the first time in Wilmington will be inspiration enough to bring many Wilmingtonians down town for the informal display, and we extend to you a cordial invitation to be among those present.

Introducing "Vogue" Millinery

The wonderful success of the Vogue Hats in Asheville has led us to introduce them to the women of Wilmington. To wear a Vogue hat lends an air of distinction and refinement that is immediately recognized by well dressed women. You have only to view them to be infatuated with their smart and fashionable modes.

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We specialize in Ready-to-Wear Garments. Our apparel has been selected with the utmost care by competent buyers, one of whom is Mr. Allie Price, formerly of Wilmington, but now Manager of the ready-to-wear department of the Asheville Bon Marche.

We claim distinction of style, sturdiness of quality and superior workmanship in our garments as well as a variety that embraces practically all of the favored models for Autumn.

Autumn Dresses For Ladies and Misses

Our dress line embraces models for every occasion. The assortment is characteristic of the Bon Marche. Thoroughness in selecting and style superiority is apparent in every particular. Colors include the wanted shades of purples, prune, plum, Burgundy, African brown, Russian green, navy blue, and black. All materials now in vogue are numbered in the collection. From the dainty satin charmeuse or crepe metior evening gown to the street costume of men's wear serge trimmed in fur for street wear.

Neckwear, Gloves and Hand Bags Form a Delightful Department

In purchasing the season's outfit some women lay too much stress upon the larger things and neglect the smaller dress accessories. It is as important to wear attractive neckwear, gloves or carry a becoming hand bag as it is to be correctly gowned.

We are showing new Centemeri gloves in the popular contrasting stitching.

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One of the important facts that will prove popular with our hosiery patrons is that we keep our stock complete as to size and color, and our salespeople through a study of the hosiery problems, will give valuable information regarding the wearing, washing and correct size you should purchase.

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THE STAKE IN THE PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN

(Continued From Page Eleven).

respondent. First, the record the administration has made; second, the kind of administration the future calls for during the next presidential term. There might be exigencies in prospect such that the desirability of rewarding the President and his party for the achievement already referred to would have to be ignored in the larger interest of the whole people. As for the record of the present administration, it speaks for itself. In finally judging it in fairness one should seek to ascertain its general direction and let its big outlines of policy fill the eye. President Lincoln made terrible mistakes occasionally. Consider his act in making Ben Butler the commander of the army of the James. No more absurd act was ever credited to a president of the United States, yet the voter would have been in error who had opposed President Lincoln in politics because of such blunders.

How It Has Stood the Test.

In its big performances, giving direction to national policy as a whole, the Wilson administration stands the test of true Democracy. In the main, it has sought to give effect to the will of the people and to safeguard the public interest as against special privilege. "Wall Street hates Wilson, but that fact proves at least that Wilson cannot be controlled by Wall Street." The administration has been progressive. Its tariff legislation was beneficial because it coincided with the opening of a new era of foreign commerce for America, but foreign commerce has always been of less interest to high protectionists than the home market. The present Democratic tariff is far preferable as a base for future legislation to the high tariff which preceded it. In its legislation on banking and currency, its legislation for agriculture and for social and labor betterment, the administration has not been reactionary, but in the main preeminently progressive.

In the matter of the threatened nation-wide railroad strike President Wilson actually carried into effect the principal just proclaimed by the public service commission of New York, that "the public's right to have controversy on its railroads" settled "without resort to a war of any kind is a right superior to the rights of either the men or the company." Even the hostile Outlook admits that the strike settlement brought about by the President was "wise." Enemies for the most part see in the President's conduct nothing but demagogy. Others see in it solicitude for the public welfare.

The Wilson Foreign Policy.

In the development of his foreign policy, which has borne the brunt of the attack on the administration, the President has chosen a general direction which not only was right but also was in accordance with the desire of the people as a whole. We have had Democracy expressing itself in our diplomacy under Mr. Wilson. What is meant by that may be illustrated by a quotation from a letter written by a progressive, recently printed in several New York papers:

"I have frequently criticized President Wilson. I was opposed to his interpretation of neutrality, and I was among the signers of the message to France. A long experience in the Middle West (from which I have lately returned) has convinced me that in that part of the country, at any rate, the people are so strongly opposed to our taking part in the war that the President was interpreting the national wishes in the stand he took."

In its essentials the President's foreign policy in these trying times has successfully interpreted the will of the people as a whole. As regards the European war, the big things in his record are unassailable by the Republican leaders; Mr. Hughes has tacitly admitted it in his speeches, for in neither the one nor the other has there been an attack on the general policy of neutrality, which is the keystone of the Wilson position. After all the uproar about Belgium's invasion, neither the Republican platform nor Mr. Hughes has criticized the President's course. In the case of Germany's submarine operations, Mr. Wilson again interpreted successfully the people's will and the proof of this assertion is that no one has ventured at any time to start an agitation or a political movement designated to carry the country toward war.

One may despise the American people for their attitude, but this is their country, and on an issue involving peace or war, as these foreign issues of Wilson's administration have involved peace or war, it is right that the will of the people should prevail. Nor is it true that, in the fundamentals the Wilson neutrality policy has been morally wrong. Only those persons can think so who have permitted themselves to be overshadowed with passion against or sympathy for one or more of the European belligerents. There are those who would cover the neutrality policy with obloquy and infamy, going to the crazy extreme of accusing the President of causing the moral fiber of our people to rot. Yet the man does not live in America so well informed and so wise that, without the most wicked presumption, he could impose on the 100,000,000 people of the United States his opinion of the right and wrong of the European war as the foundation of a national policy of participation in that struggle.

Mexico.

We hear a great deal about Mexico. There, again, the attack is not so much on the large features of the policy as upon matters subsidiary and incidental. The people most unmistakably have not wanted war with Mexico, even to protect Americans there; at the same time, they have approved the refusal to recognize the assassin dictator. That fact is proved by Mr. Hughes' refusal during a month's speaking tour to say that he would have recognized Huerta. Given those two conditions of a Mexican policy, non-recognition of Huerta and American opposition of war, and the problem of the United States government has necessarily been one of the greatest perplexity and difficulty. Wilson has been right in the large things, which are the most important things, in dealing with Mexico. He was right in standing so long as he could for constitutional government as against government by assassination; and he was right in sympathizing with the underlying purpose of the Mexican revolution. Today, the conditions in Mexico are more promising than they were when Mexico City weltered in its own blood, after a counter-revolution of reaction in the last days of the Taft administration. There is a government established that looks forward, not backward, whatever its demerits, and that now appears to be supported by the large majority of the Mexican people.

The gashes made by frost or fire in the side of a moutnain are often more distinct than the mountain itself if one is near it; as one recedes, the gashes disappear in the softening mists and shadows and one finally sees only the bold contour of the mountain itself. This will be true of the Wilson administration, as it recedes into history. It will be judged by the general direction of its policies, by the general contour of its constructive achievement.

The Next Administration.

The question of the next administration cannot be dissociated from the past administration. In the next four years, the party of government should be "an effective governing body," it should be progressive in domestic affairs and it should hold fast to the general policy of neutrality in foreign affairs. The European war, General Brussiloff is reported as saying in an authorized interview, will last at least another year. Since the war is to continue into the next administration the direction of American policy should remain in the hands of the President who has established and developed it. The country wishes to remain out of the war; then Wilson is the logical president to elect; Mr. Hughes would bring to the office personal inexperience and a body of political support whose reactions in power no one can surely forecast. It would be motley in character and devoid of unity the moment a common hatred of Wilson had ceased to furnish it with the necessary cohesion.

Consider what the party back of Mr. Hughes in office would be. Today it comprises elements as diverse as the ideals and personalities of Theodore Roosevelt and Boies Penrose, Lyman Abbott and George Sylvester Viereck, Gifford Pinchot and Reed Smoot, Senator LaFollette and Henry Cabot Lodge. In the last test, during the Taft administration, it flew to pieces; is there the slightest assurance that this party, now said to be reunited, could so quickly return to power after its great disruption and give to the country the service it has a right to expect from "an effective governing body?" There is no precedent in modern history justifying such an assumption.

Hughes or Wilson.

Does Mr. Hughes possess Mr. Wilson's demonstrated ability to control, unify and direct a party of heterogeneous elements and discordant purposes? Mr. Roosevelt has recommended him to us; but so did Mr. Roosevelt recommend Mr. Taft even more warmly. The results are on record. But Mr. Hughes, the leader of a party, has already been tested in office, as governor of New York. He failed to achieve his purpose or carry out the will of the best element of the Republicans of the State. He finally left office in the middle of his second term to accept a supreme court judgeship, and the Republican party of New York instantly fell into the control of Boss Barnes and disruption soon followed. The New York Sun, then a Republican paper as it is today, delivered this judgment on Governor Hughes:

"For four years now Mr. Hughes has been the leader of the Republican party in this state. Behind him there has been at all times a substantial majority of the voters of this party, indeed of the voters of the state as a whole. Yet at the close of his term of leadership in the executive chair, not equaled in length since the days of David B. Hill, there is behind him only a wreck, a shattered, unseaworthy and badly damaged craft answering no helm and the creature of every wind. * * Yet, however much of praise the personal integrity and the personal ability of the Hon. Charles E. Hughes may command now and hereafter, the fact remains that in the great task imposed upon him he has failed."

No one, not even his most malignant enemy, says that Mr. Wilson has failed as leader of the Democratic party, under conditions infinitely more trying than Mr. Hughes encountered as governor of New York.

With the country less than two months from election day, the compelling logic of the situation is that the safest and best tested instrument of government in the United States today is the Democratic party under the leadership of Woodrow Wilson.

"A. & M. COLLEGE DAY" THIS YEAR IS TUESDAY, OCT. 3RD

Alumni Everywhere Called Upon to Boost Interests of Institution.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

West Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 30.—Immediately following the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts in October, 1914, a campaign for the systematic organization of the alumni of the college into local associations was launched.

This work was undertaken by Mr. A. T. Bowler, who as alumni representative achieved gratifying results until his duties as secretary of the Raleigh chamber of commerce necessitated his resignation. Mr. Buxton White was then made his successor.

During this time twelve local associations have been formed, these being the Birmingham (Ala.) A. & M. Alumni Association, the New York City A. & M. Alumni Association, the North Carolina A. & M. Alumni Association of Tidewater Virginia, of Norfolk, and the county assaciotions of Buncombe, Gaston, Guilford, Mecklenburg, New Hanover, Pasquotank, Rowan, Wake and Wilson. These twelve associations represent a membership of 630 former students of A. & M. out of a total of 3,600 alumni. The two largest associations are those of Mecklenburg and Wake, the former with a membership of 225 and the latter 175.

The officers of the New Hanover Alumni Association are as follows: J. L. Becton, president; L. L. Merritt, vice-president; George Gillette, secretary-treasurer.

Already there has been a quickening of interest in the welfare of the college by its alumni which has been so gratifying as to justify the trustees in making an appropriation for the creation of the offic eof alumni secretary. Mr. White was appointed to this place and will devote his entire time to the interest of the alumni and the college and their relation to each other. There is to be no let up in the work of organization, the goal in view being a local A. & M. alumni association in every county in this state and wherever else a sufficient number of former students can be gathered together.

To the end that there might be a special day each year when its scattered sons might come together for a renewal of acquaintance and a rekindling of their interest in their alma mater, the board of trustees has designated October 3rd of each year as "A. & M. College Day." On this day the local alumni associations will have banquets or smokers at which there will be speeches and reminiscences in fitting observance of A. & M.'s birthday. Speakers will be sent from the college to convey greetings to bands of alumni in as many places as possible.

CHILD LABOR BILL NO FAKE

Attempt to Use It As Campaign Material Absurd, Says Lovejoy.

The National Child Labor Committee has issued a protest against corrupt statements to the effect that the recently passed federal child labor law is a "fraud" and a "joker." "We hope no one will be misled by these rumors," says Owen R. Lovejoy, general secretary of the National Child Labor Committee.

"The bill was carefully drawn and thoroughly considered. It was not jammed through Congress but has been pending three years. It is significant that both Democrats and Republicans were well represented on the Senate committee that passed on the final form of the bill, that both Democrats and Republicans stood solidly for it in this form, and that when the roll-call was taken only two Republicans—Oliver and Penrose—and ten Democrats—all Southerners—voted against it. If the law is a gold brick, both parties made the brick, and the attempt to use it as campaign material is absurd. The law is as air-tight as a law can be. The thirty-day clause which has been attacked by a 'joker' does not relate to shipment in interstate commerce, but to removal from the factory, and was intended, chiefly to prevent evasion of the law by the storage of child-made goods in a warehouse. It was necessary furthermore, because without it a manufacturer who once employed child labor would find his goods debarred forever from interstate commerce, even though his child employees were discharged. It has been suggested that some thrifty manufacturer may try to run the government blockade with shipments of goods in thirty day lots, hiring and firing his children so as to evade the law, but we believe that such a manufacturer would be an abnormally determined employer of children—for employers have been telling us for many years that they do not want to employ children, but are forced to do so by competition with other child employers—and would soon call himself to the attention of a public that has already clearly signified its objection to the existence of child labor. The federal child labor law was framed by the best constitutional lawyers in the country; it was passed by a Congress that had given it close attention; and we of the National Child Labor Committee believe that, whether the next President be Mr. Wilson or Mr. Hughes, the child labor law can and will be enforced in accordance with the will of the American people."

BUSINESS IS GOOD

Life Insurance Companies Learn North Carolina Is a Good Place For Them

For a long time a number of large life insurance companies have given North Carolina the "go by." They shared the common belief that as a Southern State our death rate was high. Now it appears that they were mistaken. A recent interview between a prominent life insurance man and the Secretary of the State Board of Health brought out the following facts. According to this official, North Carolina's death rate is not only the lowest of any along the Atlantic coast from Maine to Texas, but it compares favorably with other registration states in the Union, save those Western states whose population is made up largely of vigorous, healthy immigrants which brings down their death rate materially. No fair basis of comparison, of course, can be furnished by considering North Carolina's urban death rate with the death rates of entire states rural and urban, as might have been inferred from a casual reading of a recent census report. Nor is that all.

So far as can be learned, North Carolina has the highest birth rate of any state in the Union. Although we have not been officially admitted to the registration area for births, we can boast a higher birth rate than any of those states already included within that select society. North Carolina is again at the head of the table.

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Spanking does not cure children of bedwetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

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Topic for Sunday, October 1st, 1916.

THE CONSECRATION OF THE SCHOOL LIFE.

1 Cor. 9:19-23.

(Consecration Meeting.)

Paul certainly understood the art of adapting his life to all conditions and serving everywhere. If Paul had been a Christian before he went to school, his life influence would have been of positive and helpful character. School days are rare days for privileged classes. It would be very helpful if young people would realize this.

The churches of every community welcome and highly prize the student body. The Church stands for education, Christian education. The young have a golden opportunity to learn great lessons. It is highly valuable that the students learn the lesson of regular church attendance.

Five Fundamental Points.

Let us in passing emphasize the value of five points which, upon reflection, will be found very valuable to every student, whatever line of life he may take, and whatever natural endowments he may have.

Attend to your spiritual life. If your soul is sold to the slavery of sin, your education will be a curse to you, and only equip you to be a greater curse to mankind. If your soul is finally lost, your education will do you no good.

Attend to your physical health. You can do your best work in study or in the use of what you learn when your body is strong. An invalid can not use an education to much advantage. You can be happier by being well than if you are continually sick.

Attend to your mental culture. That is the prime purpose for which you are here. And as a student you belong to "the privileged class." You should take full advantage of your opportunities. Your mental training will determine your standing and effectiveness in service through coming years. The greatest gift your parents or guardians can give you is a good education.

Attend to your recreation so as to promote your happiness and prepare you for vigorous work. Take plenty of exercise and be sure to laugh some every day. There is as much religion and good sense in a laugh as a tear. Let your pleasure always be innocent pleasure, and let it be harmless, too. That pleasure is dearly bought which costs someone else pain.

Attend to your friendship making. Make friends of every student and of every one else with whom you come in contact. Learn how to meet strangers; learn to remember names; manifest a definite, honest interest in everybody. Try to be friends of everybody.

The Important Question.

What answer will you give our Lord's question to the twelve: "Will ye also go away?" You will either go with him or away from him. He stands in the center of life and truth, and calls us to Himself. What will we do? No temptation is more common than that which arises from the impression that a life of religion is necessarily a life of gloom. Some people, and especially young people, are inclined to think that Christian life is a life devoid of happiness. This is a great error. Every happy believer,—and there are many happy believers—disproves this opinion. If God is, then righteousness is a reality, and only the righteous can be really, finally, perfectly and eternally happy. Man in every and any viewpoint is a student. He needs to know the truth. Simon Peter was expressing a deep consciousness when he said, "To whom shall we go?" Man needs a school and a teacher, and this question has been the permanent question of past history. All sorts of answers are given, many teachers and sources of knowledge are suggested, but Simon Peter gave the only correct one: "To whom shall we go? Thou hast the words of eternal life." Simon Peter's question is not for information, but for emphasis. It is the strongest form of statement that there is no other teacher of the words of eternal life than our Lord.

Students are wise if they take the Lord Jesus into their lives. Let your affections twine around Him; let your ambition burn in the warmth of His life; let your knowledge grow by contact with His grace; let your plans be born in the atmosphere of His life. Make your decision now to serve Him. We need not go elsewhere, for He has the words of eternal life and is the Christ and son of the Living God. We have in Him a better master and portion. You must take choice between two. You are either in the service of Satan or of God. If you are an unbeliever and in sin, satan is your master. Your master is bad; his service is worse; his wages are the worst of all; "The wages of sin is death." Turn from His service today, and begin to inquire how you can serve God. We have better resources and supplies if we follow our Lord. We have meat to eat that the world knows not of. We drink from unfailing springs that forever satisfy. We have a jewel called peace that passeth all understanding. What can the world offer?

We have better enjoyment. The religious life has its conflicts and difficulties, but it has its pleasures, too. It has an overbalance of joy. (Christian Observer.

COTTON 25 CENTS A POUND

Wayne Farmers Interested in New Kind in South Carolina.

(Mt. Olive Tribune.)

Deeply interested in a report brought from Hartsville, S. C., by Mr. George A. Norwood, president of the National Bank of Goldsboro, that while in Hartsville, S. C., a few days ago he found a certain growth of cotton, known as "Coker's Pedigreed," grown in the Hartsville section and selling regularly and readily on that market at 25 cents per pound, the following reliable Wayne county farmer-citizens visited Hartsville the first of this week to view the Coker cotton in the field and see it sold on the market; Messrs. E. A. Stevens, James W. Hall, Charles Lutes, W. P. Rose, Thomas Edmundson and George M. Warrick. The soil around Hartsville is said to be about the same as Wayne county soil and, as a result of the visit of these prominent farmers, it is not unlikely that it will be given a "try-out" in Wayne next year.

SUNDAY SERVICES

First Baptist church, corner Fifth and Market streets, Rev. John Jeter Hurt, D. D., pastor—Rally Day in the Sunday School, which meets at 9:45. Preaching by the pastor at 11 o'clock and at 8 o'clock. Morning subject: "Is the Church of Jesus Christ Able to Meet the Total Human Need." Evening subject: "What Is Hell, Anyway?" This is the second of a series on Eternal Punishment. The Junior and the Senior Young Peoples' Union meet at 7 o'clock. "Here bring your wounded hearts; Here tell your anguish; Earth hath no sorrows That Heaven cannot heal."

St. John's Episcopal church, Third and Redcross streets, Rev. Wm. Edward Cox, rector—Holy communion at 11. Opening of Sunday school 4. Seats free, everybody cordially invited.

St. John's Mission, 1313 N. 4th St.—Sunday school in the morning 9:30. Service Wednesday evening at 8. Everybody welcome.

Church of the Good Shepherd, Sixth and Queen streets, Rev. W. R. Noe, rector—Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Sunday school at 3:30 in the afternoon. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.

Church of the Ascension, Third and Marstellar streets, Rev. W. R. Noe, rector—Sunday school in the morning at 9:30. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. Rev. G. F. Hill will preach at the evening service.

Christian church, Dock street, Rev. J. E. Reynolds, pastor—Preaching in the morning at 11 and in the evening at 8 by the pastor. Sunday school in the morning at 10. Christian Endeavor at 7:15 in the evening. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 8. The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran church, Fourth and Harnett streets, Rev. G. W. McClanahan, pastor—Services in the morning at 11 and in the evening at 7:30. Subjects: "The Child's Opportunity and the Parents' Responsibility" and "No Man Can Serve Two Masters." Sunday school at 10 in the morning. Wednesday evening at 8 Young People's meeting. Topic: "Service."

Fifth Avenue Methodist church, Rev. John H. Shore, pastor—Preaching in the morning at 11 and in the evening at 7:30. Subjects: "The Standard of Efficiency in Service" and "The Character of Esther." Sunday school at 9:45. Epworth League Tuesday evening at 8. Bible study Wednesday evening at 7:30. The public and strangers are cordially invited to attend all services.

Calvary Baptist church, Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor—Sunday worship at 11 in the morning and at 7:30 in the evening. Subjects: "How a Barber Was Won to Christ, and Other Conversions," and "When the Wicked Come to Trial." Sunday school at 9:45. Junior B. Y. P. U. at 7:15 in the evening. Sunbeams Monday afternoon at 4. Teachers' meeting Tuesday night. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Senior B. Y. P. U. Thursday night. Music class Friday night. A cordial welcome to all services.

St. James' church, Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., rector, and Rev. George F. Hill, assistant minister—Service, sermon and holy communion in the morning at 11. Sunday school rally at 3:45. Evening prayer at 5. All members of the congregation urged to attend the morning service. All children of the congregation wanted at the Sunday school rally.

Seventh Day Adventist church, Fourth and Wright streets—Church service each Sunday night at 8. Sabbath school each Saturday morning at 10 and preaching at 11. Prayer meetings each Wednesday night at 8.

St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, Fifth avenue and Ann streets—First mass in the morning at 7. Last mass and sermon at 10:30. Vespers in the evening at 8.

Christian Science Society, church edifice Seventeenth and Market streets—Services in the morning at 11. Subject: "Unreality." Sunday school at 12:15. Testimonial meeting Wednesday evening at 8:15. Free reading room in the Murchison National Bank building, open daily except Sundays and holidays from 4 to 6:30 in the afternoon. The public is cordially invited to attend all services and to visit the reading room.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, Sixteenth and Market streets, Rev. E. deF. Heald, Jr., rector—Sunday school in the morning at 9:45. Holy communion and sermon at 11. Evening prayer and sermon at 8 (question box). All seats free. A cordial welcome.

Winter Park Methodist church, Rev. J. Herbert Miller, pastor—Preaching in the morning at 11. Sunday school at 10. A cordial welcome to all.

Grace Methodist church, corner Grace and Fourth streets, Rev. M. T. Plyler, pastor—Services in the morning at 11 and in the evening at 7:30 by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:45. General rally and promotion day in the Sunday school. Subject of sermon at evening hour: "Three Notable Types of Men." Special music and a cordial invitation to all services.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Market and Sixth streets, Rev. F. B. Calusen, pastor—German service with Holy Communion at 11. Preparatory service at 10:30. Evening service begins at 8. Sermon subject: "The Man With a Past." Sunday school at 3:30 in the afternoon. A cordial welcome to visitors. Laymen's Missionary committee will meet Wednesday evening at 8. Dorcas Society Thursday at 4. Luther League Friday evening at 8.

"GOD BLESS HER."

God bless the girl who works! She is not too proud to earn her own living, not ashamed to be caught at her daily task. She smiles at you from behind the counter or desk or printer's case. There is a sweet memory in everything she touches. She is like the brave mountaineer, already far up the precipice, climbing, struggling, rejoicing. The very sight is an inspiration. It is an honor to know this girl and to be worthy of her esteem. Lift your hat to her, young man, as she passes by. She's a queen in the realm of womanhood. She's a princess among the toilers. Her hand may be stained by dishwashing, factory grease, or printer's ink; but it is an honest hand. It stays misfortune from the home; it supports an invalid loved one maybe; it is a moving, potent shield that protects many a family from the poorhouse. All honor to the grave toiler! God bless the girl who works. —Selected.

A PROVERB, A POEM AND A PREACHMENT.

Selected by H. G.

He that winneth souls is wise. Proverbs 11:30.

HIS MOTHER'S SONGS

Beneath the hot mid-summer sun
The men had marched all day;
And now beside the rippling stream
Upon the grass they lay.

Tiring of game and idle jests,
As swept the hours along,
They called to one who mused apart,
"Come, friend, give us a song."

"I fear I cannot please," he said;
The only songs I know
Are those my mother used to sing
For me long years ago."

"Sing one of those," a rough voice cried,
"There's none but true men here;
To every mother's son of us
A mother's songs are dear."

Then sweetly rose the singer's voice,
Amid unwonted calm,
"Am I a Soldier of the Cross,
A follower of the Lamb?"

"And shall I fear to own His cause"—
The very streams were stilled,
And hearts that never throbbed with fear
With tender thoughts were filled.

Ended the song, the singer said,
As to his feet he rose,
"Thanks to you all, my friends; goodnight
God grant us sweet repose."

"Sing us one more," the captain begged;
The soldier bent his head.
Then glancing 'round, with smiling lips,
"You'll join with me," he said.

"We'll sing this old familiar air,
Sweet as the bugle call,
'All hail the power of Jesus' name,
Let Angels protrate fall."

"Ah, wondrous was the old tune's spell
As on the singer sang;
Man after man fell into line,
And loud the voices rang.

The songs are done, the camp is still
Nought but the stream is heard;
But, ah! the depths of every soul
By those old hymns are stirred.

And up from many a bearded lip,
In whispers soft and low,
Rises the prayer the mother taught
The boys long years ago.

—SELECTED.

"Trailing the Batitudes."

"There comes Mrs. MacGregor—'trailing the beatitudes'," said a young man admiringly as a beautiful elderly woman came out of the hotel door and stopped to speak to a group on the steps.

The girl beside him turned in surprise. "What a funny thing to say!" she cried with a laugh. "What do you mean by such a speech as that?" "Just look, and I'm sure you'll see," he answered softly. "Watch her face as she talks to those people."

For a moment the girl was silent, studying the face that was turned toward her as Mrs. MacGregor sank into a proffered chair.

"I do understand," she whispered at length, turning back to her companion. "Blessed is the pure in heart." "That's there, isn't it?" "Yes," answered the man quietly. "And all the rest of them too." "I looked them up at once when I head some one say that about her, and they are all there, and in her life, too—the mercy and the peacemaking; and the hunger and thirst after righteousness most of all. She's the mother of a friend of mine, so I know her right well."

"What a lovely thing to say about a woman!" mused the girl thoughfully. "I thought it was funny at first 'trailing the Beatitudes,' but now I appreciate it. It is as if she were clothed in them, isn't it? Beautiful and blessed! Why, it's the most wonderful compliment you could pay!"

"I GET ALONG WITH PEOPLE."

"I get along with people," a man said. "I get along with people better than you do." Well, Jesus didn't! He got along with the needy, and the sinful who knew their sinfulness, and the hungry-hearted; but He didn't get along with people as a whole.

He didn't get along with the rich young ruler, though when the young man stood before Him, asking: "What shall I do to inherit eternal life?" the Saviour "beholding him loved him." Nor the lawyer who was "willing to justify himself"; though to him Jesus spoke the "new commandment" upon which "hung all the law and the prophets." Nor those who witnessed His power and followed Him for a time, but when He spoke of His kingdom wherein "It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing," went back and walked no more with Him.

He answered their questioning; He gave them from the fountain of all truth; He loved them; but He couldn't get along with them. They "went away." They stayed away when He preached the gospel of light and life. They ignored His teaching, and His miracles of mercy and helpfulness. They refused Him their friendship, their presence; and were not less guilty, nor counting against Him than the self-righteous Pharisees who hunted and accused Him and bargained for His betrayal.

No! Jesus didn't get along with people.

People took Him and bound Him and led Him into judgment halls and subjected Him to a mock trial, and heaped upon Him cruelty and humiliations and led Him away, bearing His own cross, and crucified Him.

Stephen, the man whose soul was so pure and beautiful, that as he sat listening to the false charges brought against him they "saw his face as it had been the face of an angel"—Stephen didn't get along with people. People stoned him to death.

Peter, the bold and eloquent preacher, who won thousands in a day to Christ and the church; Peter whom an angel released from prison that he might go on with his task—couldn't get along with people. People crucified him as they had his Lord.

Paul, the master logician of the ages who stood before kings and commanded their reverence by his marvellous words and matchless courtesy,—Paul couldn't get along with people. In his old age they beheaded him.

These and their martyr brethren as they followed Jesus and wrought His will found that the exhortations, "Love you renemies." "Do good to them that hate you," "Pray for them that despitefully use you and persecute you," were not merely right sentiments and motives, but stern rules to be practiced when the need arose; as the need must arise as they followed Jesus.

Before the Master ascended, He said to His disciples: "As my Father hath sent Me, even so send I you." If we are going as He sends, you and I, we cannot always get along with people. We may do our very best,—always knowing it is not the best. (Jesus' best was the best, and yet, He didn't get along with people.) We may try hard and do our best, but we cannot always get along with the ease-loving; the self-assured, the wantonly selfish—with those who hold to their possessions though they give up eternal life; with those willing to justify themselves even though they turn aside from the plain commandments of God; with grovelling natures content with material things, while they shut their ears to the teachings of Him who is the only door to the sheepfold.

No, if we could always get along with these it would be queer.

How can two walk together when walking in opposite directions? How can two walk together when one is climbing a hill with his eyes on the stars and the other sauntering down the hill with his eyes on the ground? How could it be? It cannot be.

If we are going in the way the Man Christ Jesus went, though ever so slowly and falteringly and faultily; if it is that way we are going, we cannot get along with people—all people.

BROWN-GRAY.

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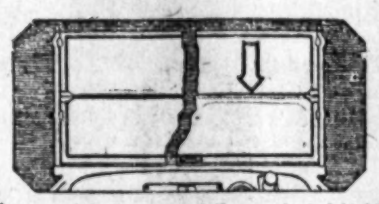

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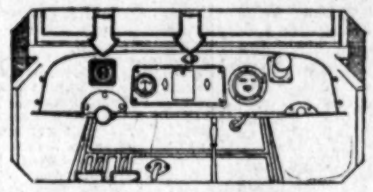

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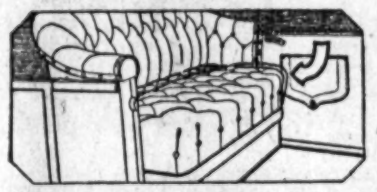

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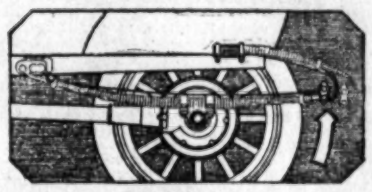

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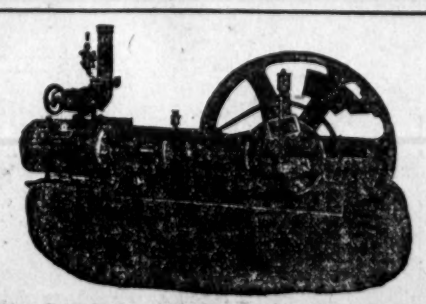

WILMINGTON IRON WORKS

"THE IRON MEN."

THEATRICAL

The Victoria management has picked another winner for the coming week, and will present all the week one of the oldest and best known musical comedy organizations that has ever toured the South, the fourth season with a bigger, brighter and better than ever show, of the American Girl Company, a company of professional players feature Earl Root and Ray Lewis, supported by Lillian Zieglar, and the famous American Girl Chorus.

The American Girl Company has become famous as "the big song hit show," presenting all the latest Broadway song hits—their bills for the coming week containing several of the big hits presented by the Mutt and Jeff show last week, including "Through Those Wonderful Glasses of Mine," "There's Someone More Lonesome Than You," "Some Girls Do and Some Girls Don't," "Pray for the Lights to go Out," etc. The latter is one of the greatest coon shout song hits of the season, a successor to "Ballin' the Jack," which always brings down a house any time.

Lewis and Root in the comedy roles, carry a rapid fire assortment of new comedy stuff that is bound to go over big. This pair also presents a dance number that ranks well with the best ever seen. Lillian Zeigler is well known and presents some of the big song hits named above. Pauline Glenmar, oriental, whirlwind, acrobatic and fancy dancing, is one of the distinct hits of the show, while another hit will undoubtedly be made in the opening show by Miss Elsie Ziegler in her presentation of "There's Someone More Lonesome Than You," assisted by Raymond Lewis.

The famous "American Girl Chorus" is also featured strong and when you see it you will see the niftiest singing and dancing chorus with some of the most elaborate costumes you have ever seen at the Victoria. Another big feature is the elaborate special scenery carried with this organization, one of the shows to be presented during the week being a regulation three-act musical comedy, with complete scenic equipment for each scene.

Marguerite Courtot—Grand

That beautiful photoplay star, Marguerite Courtot, will appear in her first great Paramount picture, "Rolling Stones," playing opposite Owen Moore, to be presented at the Grand theatre tomorrow on the Paramount program. "Rolling Stones" is a thrilling, amusing picturization of Edgar Selwyn's great stage triumph of the same name and was produced by the Famous Players Film Company. In the supporting cast is seen Alen Hale, William J. Butler and Ida Fitzhugh, also many other Famous Players favorites.

Miss Courtot, well known wherever pictures have been shown, is unquestionably one of the most popular ingenues on the screen and has been a shining screen light for the last four years. The play marks Owen Moore's second stellar role for the Famous Players since rejoining that company, as he recently co-starred with Hazel Dawn in the adaptation of Roi Cooper Megrue's celebrated stage success, "Under Cover," seen at the Royal some weeks ago.

"Rolling Stones" was selected as an especially adaptible play because there is so much action in the story and because the many complications of the plot are so readily evolved on the screen. Nor is it by any means devoi dof thrills in its adaptation. In one of the early scenes Mr. Moore is found dangling by one hand from the top of a bridge, threatening to "end it all" by letting go; then there are near hold-ups, bank robberies and numerous adventures with a trunk that is wierdly stocked with feminine and male attire.

Royal Makes Announcement.

The Royal has great news to announce to its patrons. Through a new contract by which two Triangle dramas will be used each week, it will be possible to put these great productions on at the usual five and ten cents admission prices. This is what they have been trying to bring about for some time, but the contract has just recently been closed, where by these great productions marking the very acme of film productions will be presented at the minimum Royal prices, beginning tomorrow.

Tomorrow the Royal presents that star of the Triangle, H. B. Warner, the actor who set free those mutineers from Wilmington some ten years ago, in another great Ince drama in six big reels, entitled "The Beggar of Cawnpore." He is supported by Bessie Love, Gertrude Claire, Louise Glaum and a big bunch of the Triangle stars.

Warner gives a terribly convincing portrayal of a morphine ridden wretch who sank from a handsome officer in a crack regiment to a half-crazed beggar in the crawling slums of a mysterious Oriental city. It is one of the swiftest, most amazingly picturesque screen dramas of the year, and should not be missed Monday.

MARKUERITE COURTOT
Popular Star With Owen Moore in the Paramount Production, Rolling Stones, at the Grand Tomorrow.

LEWIS (RAY) AND ROOT (EARL).
Famous Vaudeville Team with the American Girl Company at the Victoria the Coming Week.

RUNNING EXTRA FREIGHTS

Heavy Traffic Between Kinston and Greenville Takes More Trains.

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 30.—The Atlantic Coast Line railroad is operating extra freights between Kinston and Greenville, because of the heavy traffic. No regular schedule is observed, but long strings of cars accumulating are hauled away at short intervals. All lines in the section are reported to be doing good business now. Tobacco, cotton, first shipments of holiday goods and other things are helping to swell the volume of freight. Some local dealers already are receiving Christmas merchandise. The city will spend around a hundred thousand dollars in the holiday trading, merchants estimate.

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FOR THE FOUR AMENDMENTS

Endorsed by Messrs. G. E. Hood, N. A. Sinclair, M. L. Shipman and State Treasurer Lacy.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 30.—Legislative Reference Librarian W. S. Wilson, has received the following letters, among many others, approving the four proposed constitutional amendments to be voted on in the general election in North Carolina November 7th:

In response to your letter of the 28th ult., regarding the four amendments to the Constitution which are to be voted on at the November election, I beg to inform you that I am heartily in favor of all of them.

I believe they are all meritorious and I am supporting them.

GEO. E. HODD.
Goldsboro, N. C., Sept. 21, 1916.

I am heartily in favor of the first, third and fourth of the proposed amendments, but I am opposed to the second amendment and shall vote against it.

I think it unfortunate that the second amendment has been submitted, but I earnestly hope that the other three may be adopted.

N. A. SINCLAIR.
Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 8, 1916.

I shall take pleasure in voting for the first, third and fourth of the proposed amendments. I shall not vote for the second. B. R. LACY.
Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 25, 1916.

The voters of the State should not lose sight of the importance of the proposed amendments to the State Constitution. They are four in number and provide as follows:

1. To restrict local, private and special legislation.
2. To prevent delays in trials by providing emergency judges.
3. To prevent special charters to corporations by the General Assembly.
4. To prevent special charters to towns, cities and incorporated villages.

By the adoption of amendments one, three and four the Legislature would be relieved of the burden of considering and passing a great mass of "little bills" that consume more time than the more important bills. The law makers would then be able to give more mature reflection and more careful consideration to the important work entrusted to them, and the character of the legislation enacted would be correspondingly improved. The rushing of vital matters through the sessions during the last week or two of the limited sixty days would be obviated, and the State would thereby be correspondingly relieved of the dangers of attending the situation which has been presented during the closing hours of the legislative sessions for many years.

Touching the proposed amendment relative to providing emergency judges we have no well defined opinions. This would appear to be a question for decision by the legal fraternity, and the lawyers appear to entertain divergent views upon the subject. It does look like we have enough judges already to handle conditions without an additional number with consequent expense. M. L. SHIPMAN,
Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 26, 1916.

MARY PICKFORD'S EXPERIENCE AS A REAL BUSINESS WOMAN

As Head of Her Own Film Corporation, Has Suite of Offices.

New York, Sept. 30.—Mary Pickford had her first experience as a real business woman. Since she has become the head of her own film corporation she has a suite of offices in the Godfry building, in New York. It suddenly occurred to her while working before a camera in Long Island that she ought to give her offices at least a "look in." Last week she called and was left all alone in front of a roll top desk big enough to make her a house. The telephone rang and answering it herself a child voice came over the wire.

"I want to talk to Mary Pickford."

Then there was a pause.

"I'm Mary Pickford," came the answer.

There was a sound over the wire as if one had fallen or had been overcome with awe. Mary Pickford continued the conversation and the little miss at the end of the wire explained that she had a companion that had seen her go into the building and were phoning from the drug store, "an' its our last nickel," added the girl.

"Wait a minute," said Miss Pickford.

Then deserting her office she went to th edrug store and the greetings were followed with pineapple Sundaes. But the office all thought she had fled. Those in charge looked in the big room and Mary Pickford had gone. She had even left the phone off the hook. Then a search was started. One clue brought tidings that she was last seen going into the Strand Theatre with a party of little girls. Time went on and no Mary Pickford. Just about dark her car drove up to the building and she rushed to th eelevator.

"I want to go to my office," said the little star.

"What office?" said the elevator boy.

"My office—I'm Mary Pickford."

"Oh Gwan," said the boy, "we get that every day."

And finally she was identified in the offices of Artcraft Pictures.

H. B. WARNER, TRIANGLE STAR
Appearing in "The Beggar of Cawnpore," at the Royal Tomorrow.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 30.—A requisition from the governor of Virginia was honored today by Governor Craig for W. H. Jones, who is wanted in Norfolk, Va., on the charge of seduction. He is being held for the Virginia authorities at Kinston.

REAL HAIR SAVER

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PLANTS' "PREPAREDNESS"

Every One Fortified For Its Battle With Nature.

(E. E. Brewster, in St. Nicholas.)

Every sort of plant that grows is putting up a never-ending battle to keep its place in the world. It fights frost. It fights drought. It grows thorns to bayonet the creatures that try to eat it up; or with nuts, or fruits, or berries; it tempts them to carry its seeds to some unoccupied spot where it may dig itself and stay. It even mounts its seeds on aeroplanes and distributes them on the wings of the wind.

One would think that, when once any plant did manage to get its seeds into good ground, the first thing for it to do would be to have evedy single one of them, as quickly as possible, spring up, because plants and themselves bear more seeds. Yet it does not. Instead, some of the seeds hold off, and do not sprout at all the first season. Then if anything happens to the plants of the first crip—if they are cut or eaten down in the ground, if the year is bad and the seed does not ripen, if the farmer roots them up entirely to make room for another crop—there is ammunition in reserve. The seeds that held over try again next year and the next. Instances are known of seeds, once sown, continuing to come up, a few at a time, for 10 summers. Each year the plants perished before they blossomed. But still they kept springing up from old seeds. Nature seldom puts all her eggs in one basket.

This seems especially true of the useless plants which we call weeds. Once have them get a fair start, ripen a crop of seeds and get them well into the ground, and the man who lets them get by him will spend a good many years before he sees the last of his trouble.

REV. J. M. HESTER TO WILSON.

Raleigh Minister Assumes Pastorate of First Baptist Church.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Sept. 30.—Rev. J. Marcus Hester and family arrived here yesterday. Rev. Mr. Hester will assume the pastorate of the First Baptist church. He comes from the Tabernacle church at Raleigh and comes very highly recommended. The congregation of the First Baptist church consider themselves very fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Hester.

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British "Tanks" Inspire More Curiosity Than Terror.

Car of Death Resembling Slow Moving Caterpillar the Current "Enfant Terrible" of a Large Family of War Machines.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 30.—"The mysterious British 'tank', described as a car of death resembling a ponderous, slow-moving steel caterpillar, is the current 'enfant terrible' in the large family of strange engines of destruction sired by the God of War," says a bulletin issued today by the National Geographic Society.

"The modern fighting man has been so schooled to expect unique and powerful inventions designed to destroy human life that the 'tanks' have inspired more curiosity than terror, but far different has been the story of the vast breed of monsters that have engendered panic in the hearts of soldiers in ages past.

"Reviewing the history of warfare among civilized nations, one of the earliest engines of destruction whose fame has been perpetuated on the pages of legendary epic, was the great wooden horse which the crafty Ulysses left on the plains of Ilium, and which the Trojans believed to be an offering sacred to the goddess Athena. Counseled by the false Sinon, the Trojans razed their walls in order that the 'gift' of the Greeks might be brought into the city. After nightfall the warriors hidden inside the wooden animal crept out, threw open the gates of the city and admitted their companions, thus bringing about the destruction of the city of Priam and wreaking vengeance upon the people who had sheltered Paris and the fair but false Helen of Troy

"An engine of war which emerges from the cloud of legend and takes its place among historical actualities was that employed by Alexander the Great in his seven months' siege of the famous Phoenician metropolis, Tyre. This ancient city was strongly situated on an island and as there were no long range catapults in the fourth century before the Christian era, Alexander conceived the plan of building a mole or causeway from the mainland to the island. This engineering enterprise was hampered by the Tyrians who launched blazing ships against the assailants as they sunk piles to hold in place the rock and debris that forced a roadway over which the army was to march. In order to protect his construction corps Alexander devised as an engine of war great towers covered with green hides. These were set up as shields against floating flames of the enemy and the result was one of the memorable victories in Alexander's conquest of the eastern world.

"One of the most terrifying 'engines of war' of ancient times was the battle elephant employed by Pyrrhus, Alexander's cousin, in the first of the famous 'Pyrrhic victories' over the Romans. Twenty of these huge beasts were used against the enemies of the Tarentines at the battle of Heraclea, in 289 B. C. The strange, moving mountains of flesh caused a wave of fear to sweep over the Romans and they fled from the field of carnage, but after one experience with the animals their courage returned and henceforth the war elephant was more of a curiosity than an effective engine.

"One of the simplest and yet one of the most effective inventions of ancient times was the javelin with a point of soft iron employed by Julius Caesar in one of his Gallic wars. The Roman legionaries hurled these weapons against the shields of their enemies. The iron head penetrated the outer covering of bull's hide, but flattened out against the hardwood or metal back of the shield, and thus became hooked to the protector. The shanks of the dangling javelins so impeded the movements of the barbarian soldiers that they were forced either to throw away their shields and fight uncovered against the Romans or else stop long enough (a fatal delay in their advance) to disencumber themselves from this unique weapon which may properly be called the dum-dum pilum, the progenitor of the soft-nose or dum-dum bullet of today.

"Perhaps the strangest engines of destruction in the history of the world were the seven trumpets of ram's horn which the priests of Israel blew as they encompassed the walls of Jericho once each day for six successive days and seven times on the seventh day. After the final blast the hosts of Israel gave a great shout and the walls fell flat, according to the Biblical account in the Book of Joshua. Those who endeavor to explain all miracles on the theory that they are the result of extraordinary applications of the natural law have seen in this remarkable event a demonstration of the vast destructive power of sympathetic vibration—the same principle which has been known to shake to its very foundation a great bridge of steel and concrete when a dog trots across it.

"Another arms oddity of Biblical interest was the ruse employed by Gideon, leader of only 300 Israelites, who successfully engaged a vast host of Midianites and Amalekites that 'lay along the valley like grashoppers for multitude; and their camels were without number, as the sand by the seaside for multitude.' Gideon's engines of destruction were 300 trumpets, 300 empty pitchers and 300 lamps within the pitchers. As the enemy's camp was approached during the night the pitchers were smashed, the lamps held aloft in the left hand, while terrifying blasts from the 300 trumpets spread consternation and terror among the sleepers who in darkness imagined that they had been attacked by a great army. The result was wholesale slaughter among themselves while the followers of Gideon watched.

"Greek Fire is a term which has been applied to various compounds through a succession of centuries going as far back as 424 B. C., when at the siege of Delium a cauldron filled with sulphur, pitch and charcoal was placed against the walls of the city, ignited and the flames intensified by a bellows attached to a hollow tree-trunk. The most famous of the Greek Fires, however, was that invented by the architect Callinicus during the reign of Constantine Pogonatus. This particular engine of destruction was known as wet fire, on account of its property of bursting into flames when wetted. Thrown from siphons, it fell upon the ships of the Saracens causing them to burst into flames, and thus Constantinople was saved to the Byzantine emperors for the time being (668).

"Probably more far-reaching in its effect than any other engine of war was the introduction of gunpowder on the battlefield. It was one of the most potent factors contributing to the overthrow of the great feudal system, for it destroyed the superiority of the armored knight over the yeoman footsoldier, and as Carlyle has rightly said, 'It made all men of the same height.' Following the use of gunpowder in small arms came the invention and development of the cannon, a weapon which was employed with destructive effect against the walls of Constantinople when this historic city finally fell into the hands of the Mohammedans in 1453.

"The poisonous gases employed in trench warfare during the present European conflict may be viewed as a deadly development of the ludicrous stink-pot weapons used by the Chinese for ages."

THEATRICAL BENEFITS

For American Red Star Animal Relief Fund.

Mrs. Minnie Maddern Fiske, the great American actress, has just informed the American Humane Association, with headquarters in Albany, N. Y., that she is planning to give three benefit performances this winter for the American Red Star Animal Relief work. They will be given in Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago where she is booked for long engagements. The money thus raised will be used to forward the work of the American Red Star Animal Relief which was organized on the request of the War Department to provide veterinary service and hospitals for the United States army animals.

At the present time Dr. Charles Delano, a well-known Boston veterinarian, is at the Mexican border in the interest of the American Red Star Animal Relief, visiting the various camps where horses are employed. On the basis of his report and the recommendation of the War Department will depend whether or not the Red Star proceeds to erect a base hospital for sick and injured army animals at some convenient location along the border. Such volunteer assistance will mean a great deal to the government from both humane and economic standpoints.

SOUTH RIVER COMMUNITY LEAGUE FAIR OCTOBER 3

Every One Busy Preparing For Great Occasion at Garland, N. C.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Garland, N. C., September 30.—The South River Community League, Bladen county, will hold its first Community Fair at the school building Tuesday, October 3. The League was organized in March of this year and in the short time that has elapsed has done much for the good of the community.

A local tax has been voted, lectures have been given at the school house and every one is now busy preparing for the fair that will tell some of the good story of the progress in Bladen. Dinner will be served on the grounds. Everyone is invited to attend.

TRYING TO MAINTAIN TRADE WITH AMERICA

Exporting Agents in Sweden Face Numerous Difficulties.

Commerce Between That Country and the United States Hit Hard by the Tightening of the British Blockade.

Stockholm, Sweden, Sept. 30.—Notwithstanding the many obstacles with which they meet, representatives of American exporting concerns here are endeavoring to maintain trade relations between the United States and Sweden so as to be in position to take advantage of the permanent opportunities expected with the conclusion of European peace.

Prior to the war America played an almost negligible part in the trade of Sweden, export and import alike. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 1915, imports from the United States, however, took a leap which carried them up more than 600 per cent above the normal. Then came the tightening of the British blockade and the Swedish war trade act which prohibits an importer from giving guarantees to Great Britain covering goods bought in the United States or other neutral countries. Under these adverse influences the trade has rapidly declined, the American imports for the first three months of 1916 having amounted only to $12,213,590 against $41,943,301 in 1915. Although the figures are not available here it is said the trade of more recent months has shown a similar or even greater falling off. The Swedish government has adopted the policy of not announcing export or import figures during the war and it is regarded as a misdemeanor to ask for them. In February 1916 the imports from the United States amounted to a little more than $2,000,000 against more than $13,000,000 a year ago. In March the decline was from eighteen millions in 1915 to four millions in 1916.

Enormous as was the increase in American imports during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1915, the first six months of the 1916 fiscal year eclipsed former figures for a similar period by nearly $7,000,000.

England contended that these enormous imports from America meant one of two things—either that they were going to Germany through Sweden or were replacing on the market here Swedish goods shipped to Germany. And so the blockade "lid" was put on hard and tight with the result that English naval authorities now supervise all cargoes coming from over the Atlantic ocean.

Sweden maintains that much of the increased import from America represented goods formerly bought through Hamburg, that avenue of trade having been definitely closed by the war. It was said also to be due to increased shipping facilities between America and the Scandinavian states, including the establishing of a direct line from Sweden to New York.

Having established this direct trade connection the American importers here are anxious to maintain it and thus permanently eliminate Hamburg as a "middleman." The same condition exists with reference to American trade with Russia, much of it having formerly gone through the Hamburg gateway.

The Germans are admittedly anxious over this phase of the war situation. In the recent propaganda planned in Sweden it was acknowledged that the direct trade lines between Scandinavia and America, both North and South, constituted a menace to German trading in future. It was further said that the Swedes must be convinced their best interests lay in maintaining former trade relations with Germany and should be induced to "specialize" only in certain directions. There is no indication here, however, that the Swedes will do anything of the sort notwithstanding the fact that their present relations with Germany are most friendly and trading between the countries is decidedly brisk.

American business men who have carefully studied the situation with an eye to the future say that the very character of Swedish imports from Germany in normal times show the great opportunities that exist here for the extension of American trade. Just prior to the war Germany was the greatest exporter to Sweden, enjoying more than 35 per cent of the total business as against 23.09 per cent for Great Britain and only 7.84 per cent for the United States. And these were the chief Swedish imports from Germany:

Coffee, cotton, tobacco, wheat and other cereals, wool and woolen goods, copper, dyes, chemicals, ready-made clothes and various industrial products.

One glance at this list will show that most of the German exports came from overseas and were merely "handled through Hamburg." Much of the wheat and other cereals came through Germany from Russia. Since the war began Sweden has established closed railroad connections with Russia so again the German middleman has been eliminated.

Holding the second position in world trade as an exporter to Sweden, Great Britain sent to this country, coal, cotton, copper, wool, yarns, oil, machinery and rubber—another list offering opportunities for much direct American trade. Only Germany, France and Italy before the war bought more coal from England than Sweden. New Sweden is getting her great supplies of coal from Germany.

American exports to Sweden normally have consisted of cotton, mineral oils, copper, grain, bacon, fertilizers and machinery. Some coal has been bought from America, but normally this would come from the nearer fields in England and Germany. With this exception and possibly that of tin and rubber, the Americans here declare their country is in a position to supply all Sweden's needs.

How this market has been neglected by Americans in the past is evidenced by the fact that from 1896 to 1900 the United States had but 1.17 per cent of the Swedish import trade. From 1901 to 1905 the percentage was 2.06. In the next five years it had increased to 6.44 and then to 7.84 just prior to the outbreak of the war.

During the fiscal years 1913 and 1914 American exports to Sweden averaged a little more than $12,000,000. For 1915 they jumped to $78,273,818.

While the total figures favor Germany as normally the leader in Swedish trade, Great Britain prior to the war was the greatest buyer in the Swedish market, taking 29.51 per cent of the output. Germany was next with 20.12 per cent and the United States was sixth with 3.66 per cent. At one time Great Britain enjoyed nearly one-half the Swedish trade, but there has been a steady reduction in recent years. The exports to the United States heretofore have consisted chiefly of paper, wood pulp, partly manufactured iron goods and iron ore. Sweden has sent similar products to Germany and Great Britain together with great quantities of timber and foodstuffs.

One of the developments of the war has been to enormously increase the trade of Sweden with Russia. America also has shared heavily in the Russian market, which had been virtually controlled for twelve years by Germany. But now a new and formidable factor has entered the field. Through her new alliance with Russia, Japan, it is realized here, occupies a most favored position and may eventually take the place in Russian trade formerly occupied by Germany. Japan already has sent commercial missions into the field.

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HIRAM AND CYNTHIA

THEY MEET THE POLICEMAN AGAIN

By Alfred Jackson

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THE GREAT THING IN A CITY IS TER MIND YER OWN BIZNESS—
HELP! STOP THIEF!
GO RIGHT AHEAD AND NO ONE'LL INTERFERE WITH YER—
POLICE!
BEAUTY IN DISTRESS
OUCH! MUST BE A CYCLONE!
JUST MY LUCK! ALWAYS AROUND WHEN THERE'S TROUBLE!
HE'S STOLEN MY HAND-BAG!
KEEPAWAY CYNTHIA SHE'S ONE OF THEM CRAZY SUFFRIGITS OR ——
YEP! I REMEMBER! YER THE COP THAT HAD US BEFORE THE JUDGE. GLAD TER SEE YER.
Y'KNOW WHEN THE JUDGE AN' ME WAS BOYS TOGETHER
ARREST HIM OFFICER. IT'S THE SECOND TIME I'VE HAD A BAG SNATCHED
MUST BE A MISTAKE LADY. HE'S A PERSONAL FRIEND OF THE JUDGE; BUT BETWEEN YOU AN ME I'LL FEEL RELIEVED WHEN HE GOES HOME!
I'M GLAD I WAS WITH YOU HIRAM THEM CITY GALS IS DANGEROUS!
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DIPPY DUK

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by FREUND-WAGENER

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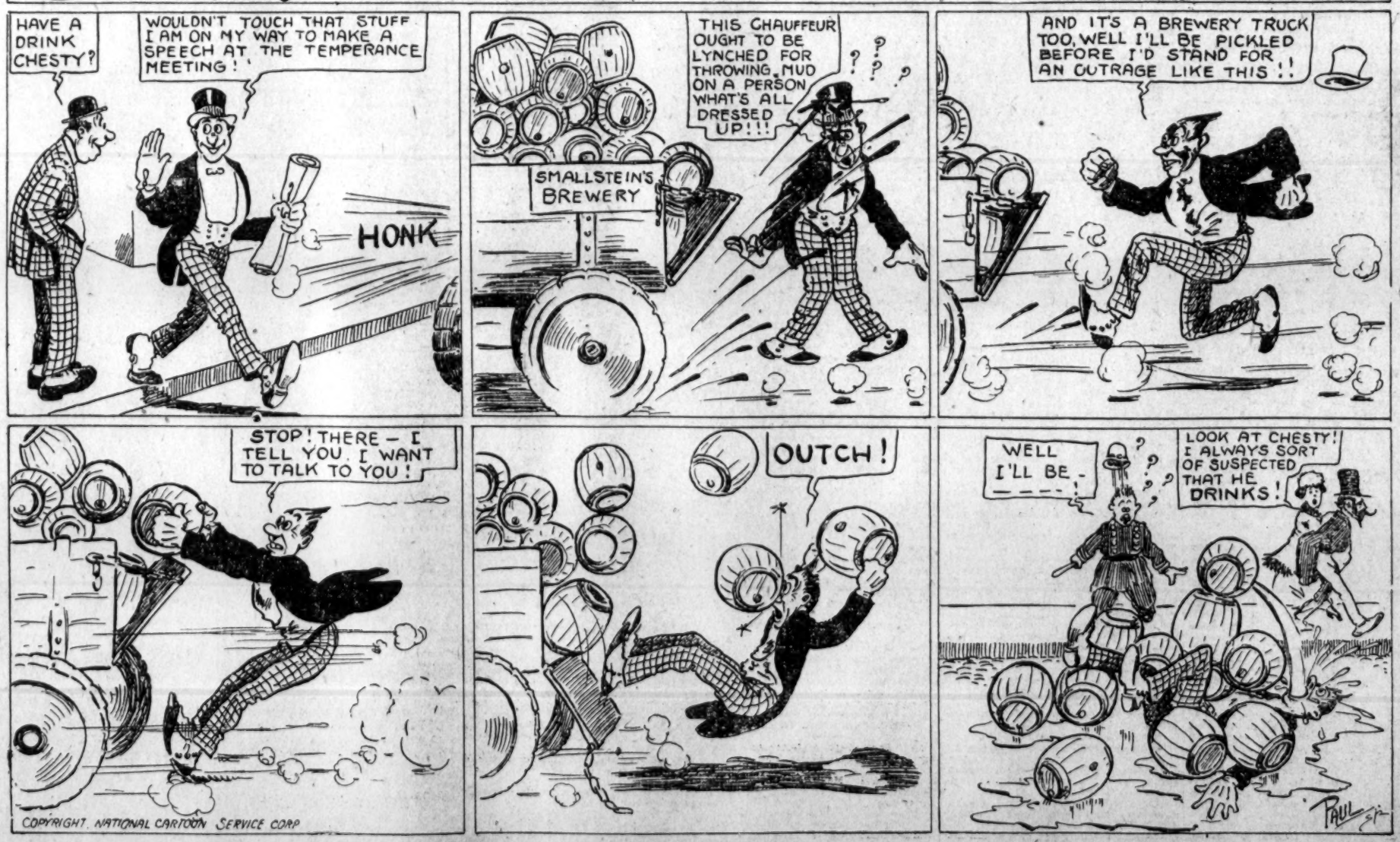
WHAT WERE YOU LOOKING AT IN THE OTHER ROOM?
MY FATHERS SWORD.
EVERY-TIME I SEE GRAND FATHERS SWORD I LONG TO TAKE PART IN A UNIVERSAL WAR.
WONDERFULL SPIRIT, WONDER FULL!!
BUT——
EVERYTIME I SEE GRAND-FATHER'S WOODEN LEG, I LONG FOR THE ADVENT OF UNIVERSAL PEACE.
OH!!

Chesty de Nut

CHESTY HAS BARRELS OF HARD LUCK

No. 79

by F. R. PAUL


HAVE A DRINK CHESTY?
WOULDN'T TOUCH THAT STUFF I AM ON MY WAY TO MAKE A SPEECH AT THE TEMPERANCE MEETING!
HONK
THIS CHAUFFEUR OUGHT TO BE LYNCHED FOR THROWING MUD ON A PERSON WHAT'S ALL DRESSED UP!!!
? ? ?
SMALLSTEIN'S BREWERY
AND IT'S A BREWERY TRUCK TOO, WELL I'LL BE PICKLED BEFORE I'D STAND FOR AN OUTRAGE LIKE THIS!!
STOP! THERE — I TELL YOU. I WANT TO TALK TO YOU!
OUTCH!
WELL I'LL BE ——!
LOOK AT CHESTY! I ALWAYS SORT OF SUSPECTED THAT HE DRINKS!
PAUL

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON PRICES UNSETTLED

Market Shows Continued Nervousness and Irregularity—Reports of Considerable Buying.

New York, Sept. 30.—The cotton market showed continued nervousness and irregularity during today's trading. January sold up from 16.12 to 16.18 early, but reacted, closing at 16.10 and the general list closed barely steady, net one point higher to five points lower.

The opening was steady at a decline of four points to an advance of two points, near months being relatively easy. Prices rallied right after the call with December selling up to 16.13 and March to 16.37. Spinners were credited with buying considerable cotton and spot houses were buyers of near months but seemed to be selling later deliveries against these purchases. There was some western buying. Demand, however, was readily supplied, with the tendency to liquidate long contracts for over the bureau. The market was unsettled in the late trading, with the close showing reactions of five or eight points from the best. The census report on ginning will be issued at 10 o'clock on Monday morning, followed an hour later by the publication of the official condition and crop figures.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oct.	15.72	15.84	15.80	15.80
Dec.	16.04	16.15	16.04	16.08
Jan.	16.10	16.21	16.10	16.10
March	16.31	16.38	16.29	16.30
May	16.49	16.58	16.49	16.51

July offered 16.62.

Spot quiet; middling uplands 16.00; no sales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans — Middling, 15.50; receipts, 6,977; exports, 6,197; sales, 12,120; stock, 159,369.

Galveston—Middling, 15.60; receipts, 19,402; exports, 21,905; sales, 2,718; stock, 248,158.

Mobile—Middling, 15.50; receipts, 6; sales 10; stock, 10,817.

Savannah—Middling, 15.63; receipts, 10,706; exports, 12,523; sales, 2,133; stock, 160,893.

Charleston—Middling, 15½; receipts, 999; stock, 45,966.

Wilmington—Middling, 15⅝; receipts, 904; stock, 43,214.

Norfolk — Middling, 15.63; receipts, 3,377; sales 856; stock, 32,389.

Baltimore—Stock, 1,770.

Boston—Middling, 16.00; exports, 259; stock, 5,000.

Philadelphia—Middling, 16.25; stock, 2,825.

New York—Middling, 16.00; exports, 1,726; stock, 85,008.

Minor Ports — Receipts, 11,705; exports, 8 838; stock, 27,329.

Total today—Receipts, 54,086; exports, 51,448; stock, 823,641.

Total for week—Receipts, 54,086; exports, 51,448.

Total for season—Receipts 1,317,216; exports, 865,628.

Interior Movement.

Houston — Middling, 15.50; receipts, 19,679; shipments, 17 107; sales, 12,195; stock, 148,127.

Memphis — Middling, 15.75; receipts, 6,444; shipments, 2,670; sales, 1,900; stock, 111,321.

Augusta — Middling, 15.69; receipts, 3,911; shipments, 641; sales, 1,156; stock 97,163.

St. Louis—Middling 15 3-4; receipts 1,453; shipments, 1,337; stock, 5,326.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 649; shipments, 56; stock, 12,827.

Little Rock—Middling, 15⅝; receipts, 2 934; shipments, 711; sales, 711; stock, 32,786.

Dallas—Middling, 15.00; sales, 14,197.

Montgomery—Middling, 15.50; sales, 76.

Total today—Receipts, 35,070; shipments, 22,572; stock, 407,960.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Sept. 30.—Spot cotton steady; good middling 9.64; middling 9.50; low middling 9.34. Sales 4,000, including 500 for speculation and export; receipts 12,000.

Futures easy; October 9.29; October and November 9.28; November and December, 9.30; December and January 9.32 1-2; January and February 9.35 1-2; February and March 9.37 1-2; March and April 9.39; April and May 9.40; May and June 9.41 1-2; June and July 9.39 1-2; July and August 9.37 1-2; August and September; September and October 9.00.

Official noon: September 9.40 value; September and October 9.35 value.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, Sept. 30.—Sugar, raw and refined, holiday.

Coffee—Spot quiet; Rio 7s, 8 1-2; Santos 4s, 11 3-8.

COTTON GOODS MARKETS.

Rising Prices Continue to be Feature. Large Future Orders.

New York, Sept. 30.—Rising prices have continued the feature in cotton goods trading. Large future orders are still being placed and the capacity of mills is being taxed to the utmost. Further large purchases of very heavy goods for long future delivery have been recorded. Duck has advanced to a point where a new list must be made as net list prices now prevail in primary channels on many numbers. Dress ginghams have been advanced one cent a yard, tickings another half cent a yard, and percales opened at advances of over 1 1-2 cent over last year, have been sold up and withdrawn by the largest producers. Bleached cottons continue to rise and many brown cottons are again moving higher. Jobbers report a large advance business on wash fabrics from retailers and the retailers outside of industrial centers where labor troubles are going on, report a good fall distribution. Export trade is hampered by restrictions of several kinds, high prices being one of them, but the most annoying being those growing out of inability to secure shipping permits. Yarns continue very high and firm and the knit goods trade is as active as it can be. Labor shortage is restricting the possible output in many finishing plants and in other factories.

Prices quoted are as follows: Print cloths, 28 inch 64x64s, 4 7-8c; 64x60s, 4 3-4c; 38 1-2 inch, 64x64s, 7c; brown sheetings, Southern standards, 9 1-2c; denims, 2.20s, indigo, 19 and 19 1-2c; tickings 8 oz., 16 1-2c; prints, 7 1-4c; staple ginghams, 8c; dress ginghams, 11 1-2c.

WHEAT CLOSES AT ADVANCE

Month-End Closing Out of Contracts, However, Gives Sharp Set-Back to the Early Rise.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Notwithstanding that adverse crop reports from Argentina today made wheat prices during most of the session decidedly higher, month-end closing out of contracts resulted in a sharp set-back just before the finish. Latest quotations were unsettled at 1-8 to 2 1-8c net decline, with December at 154 and May at 1.53 5-8. Corn closed unchanged to 1-4 to 3-8c down; oats 1-4c off to 5-8c advance, and provisions varying from 47 1-2 loss to a rise of 42 1-2c.

Grain and provisions closed:

Wheat—December 1.54; May 1.53 5-8.

Corn—December 75 1-2; May 76 1-8.

Oats—December 48 1-8; May 51 1-8.

Pork—December 22.95; January 22.50.

Lard—December 13.50; January 13.15.

Ribs—October 13.35; January 12.22.

Cash Grain:

Wheat—No. 2 red nominal; No. 3 red 1.54 1-2 to 1.55; No. 2 hard 1.67 1-2; No. 3 hard 1.57 to 1.66.

Corn—No. 2 yellow 90 to 90 1-4; No. 4 yellow 84 to 84 1-2; No. 4 white 84 to 84 1-2.

MARINE.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Arborean, 3,662 tons, Curtis, Heide & Co.

Str. Luisa (Span.), 2,345 tons, Madariaga, Henry Whyte, agent.

Str. Nicabia (Ger.), 3,283 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,372 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 30.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nominal.

ROSIN—Nominal.

TAR—Nominal.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Nominal.

$3.00.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 37½c; rosin, $3.00 and $3.05; tar, $1.50-7c; crude turpentine, $3.00, $3.00, $2.00.

RECEIPTS:

Spirits Turpentine	16
Rosin	48
Tar	23
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 5 casks; rosin, 11 barrels; tar, 2 barrels; crude turpentine 5 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—15 3-8c; quotations same day last year, 11 1-4c.

Receipts—900 bales; same day last year, 1,976 bales.

Total receipts since August 1 to date, 31,661 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 53,426 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, Sept. 30, 1916.

Atlantic Coast Line—771 bales cotton; 6 casks spirits turpentine; 48 barrels rosin; 23 barrels tar.

Seaboard Air Line—129 bales cotton.

River—10 casks spirits turpentine.

Total—900 bales cotton; 16 casks spirits turpentine; 48 barrels rosin; 23 barrels tar.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 30.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, new, 75c bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.00 to $1.15.

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 8c to 9c, dull.

PORK—Small, 10c. to 11c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 20c to 25c.; first class washed wool, 25c. to 28c.; highest grade, washed, 35c.

SHEEP—Old, good quality, gross, 2 1-2 to 3c pound. Lambs, best quality, 6 to 7c pound.

HIDES — Green salt, 13c. to 14c.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 22c to 23c.; sides and shoulders, 17c. to 18c. per lb.; good demand.

BEESWAX — Firm, 28c. per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 45c to 50c.; spring, 20c. to 30c. head.

EGGS—28c. to 29c. dozen.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 30.—Spanish—Market steady, $1 per bu.

Virginia—Farmers' Stock, market steady. Fancy Jumbo, 3½c. per lb.; Fancy Handpicked, 3¼c per lb.; Extra Prime, 3c per lb.; Prime, 2¾c per lb.; Shelling stock, 2¼c. to 2½c. per lb.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Sept. 30,—North Carolina Peanuts—Market weaker. Fancy hand-picked, 56c.; No. 1 machine picked, 50c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts — Market weaker; No. 1, small, machine picked, 65c.; Jumbos, 60c. per bushel.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, Sept. 30.—Cotton seed oil market was quiet with operations largely in the form of evening up contracts for over the government report on cotton, due on Monday. Final prices were 22 lower to 3 higher.

The market closed firm: Spot 10.50 bid; October 10.42 to 10.44; November 10.21 to 10.23; December 10.22 to 10.24; January 10.23 to 10.25; February 10.35 to 10.36; March 10.43 to 10.45; April 10.51 to 10.55; May 10.58 to 10.60. Total sales 10,100.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Sept. 30.—Turpentine firm, 43 1-2; sales 113; receipts 251; shipments 187; stock 24,261.

Rosin—Firm; sales 576; receipts 961; shipments 430; stock 86,061. Quote: A B, 5.85; C D, 5.90; E, 6.05; F G H I K, 6.20; M, 6.30; N, 6.35; WG, 6.50; WW, 6.50.

RISE IN STOCKS CHECKED

Traders Make Effort to Arrest Steady Advance—Early Decline, However, Largely Recovered.

New York, Sept. 30.—Traders endeavored to arrest the steady advance of prices during today's two hours' session, concentrating their efforts upon United States Steel, allied industrial and some of the coppers and rails. These issues were forced down two to almost five points in the first hour, steel receding 3 3-4 to 116 1-4, with a more severe break in Republic Steel, while Union Pacific lost 2 points, with 1 to 2 1-2 for leading metals.

There was substantial support at the lower levels, together with an inquiry of broad dimensions for the coal shares, Norfolk & Western making a new record at 137 5-8, Lehigh Valley rising to 85 1-4, its top quotation of recent years, and Illinois Central and Baltimore & Ohio moving forward appreciably.

Early losses were recovered in large part, steel, however, manifesting less recuperative power than other leaders. The tone at the close was slightly irregular. Total sales of 790,000 shares, were again on the well established basis of a million or more shares for the full session.

Today's bond market was firm on a fair turn-over. Total sales, par value, $2,170,000. There were heavy dealings in international issues during the week. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	26½
American Beet Sugar	96⅝
American Can	65⅝
American Car and Foundry	71
American Cotton Oil	55
American Locomotive	79¾
American Smelting	113½
American Sugar	112
American Tel. and Tel	133½
American Tobacco	221
American Zinc	41¾
Anaconda Copper	97½
Atchison	106⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	B.115
Baldwin Locomotive	87½
Baltimore and Ohio	89
Bethlehem Steel	B.560
Canadian Pacific	178½
Central Leather	72⅝
Chesapeake and Ohio	66⅝
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	96⅛
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	19
Consolidated Gas	138¼
Corn Products	16
Crucible Steel	93½
Erie	40
General Electric	182
Great Northern, pfd	119½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	45½
Goodrich	75¾
Illinois Central	106
Int. Mer. Marine pfd. ctfs	120¼
Kansas City Southern	26¼
Lehigh Valley	84⅝
Louisville and Nashville	134
Liggett and Meyers	B.274
Gulf States Steel	94
Gulf States Steel, 1st pfd	101
Gulf States Steel, 2nd pfd	97½
Lorillard Co.	B.200
Maxwell Motors	93⅜
Missouri, Kansas and Tex. pfd.	B. 10
Missouri Pacific	B. 4
Mexican Petroleum	112
National Lead	70
New York Central	109⅝
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	60½
Norfolk and Western	136⅞
Northern Pacific	113½
Pennsylvania	58
Reading	112½
Rep. Iron and Steel	80½
Seaboard Air Line	14⅜
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	36
Sloss-Sheff. Steel and Iron	64
Studebaker Corporation	132⅝
Southern Pacific	101⅞
Southern Railway	25¼
Southern Railway, pfd	69
Tennessee Copper	23½
Texas Co	220
Texas and Pacific	B. 10
Union Pacific	150
United Fruit	162½
United States Rubber	61⅜
United States Steel	117⅞
United States Steel, pfd	121⅜
Utah Copper	95⅛
Virginia-Caro. Chem	42⅜
Va. Iron, Coal and Coke	48⅛
Wabash, Pfd., "B"	28⅛
Western Union	100⅞
Westinghouse Electric	64½
Kennecott Copper	56⅛
American Zinc, Pfd	B. 76

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Hogs, weak, 25 under yesterday's average; bulk 9.55 to 10.15; light 9.30 to 10.30; mixed 9.30 to 10.50; heavy 9.20 to 10.35; rough 9.20 to 9.40; pigs 6.50 to 9.40.

Cattle—Steady; native beef cattle 6.40 to 11.25; western steers 6.15 to 9.40; stockers 4.60 to 7.70; cows and heifers 3.40 to 9.35; calves 8.25 to 12.50.

Sheep—Steady; wethers 6.60 to 8.30; ewes 3.75 to 7.75; lambs 6.50 to 10.10.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Sept. 30.—Cotton goods were firm and higher today. Yarns also were firm with a good demand for spot delivery. Jobbers did an excellent trade. Linens were firm with dress grades active.

WEEK'S BANK STATEMENT.

New York, Sept. 30. — The statement of the clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $89,189,570 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $24,944,560 from last week.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Sept. 30.—Beeves, no trading; calves steady; common to fair veals 9.00 to 13.00; Tennessee calves 6.00 to 11.00.

Sheep and Lambs—No trading.

Hogs—No trading.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Sept. 30.—Mercantile paper 3 1-2; sterling 60 day bills 4.71 1-2; demand 4.75 3-4; cables 4.76 7-16. Bar silver 69 1-8. Mexican dollars 53 3-8. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm.

SCHOOL SHOES BUILT FOR
Service.—Peterson and Ruffs.
(advertisement.)

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

October 1, 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 53 degrees; at 8 P. M., 58 degrees; maximum, 64 degrees; minimum, 51 degrees; mean, 58 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 4.57 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Friday, 2.2 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Fair Sunday and Monday; warmer Monday.

The Port Calendar, Oct. 1, 1916.

Sun rises	6:07 A. M.
Sun sets	5:57 P. M.
Day's length	11 hrs. 50 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	12:37	12:00	7:02	8:18
Southport	10:18	10:27	4:09	4:55
Masonboro Inl	10:07	10:16	3:49	4:15

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

September 30, 1916.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	80	54	.0
Asheville	clear	62	40	.0
Atlanta	clear	64	46	.0
Augusta	clear	68	50	.0
Baltimore	clear	60	—	.0
Birmingh	clear	70	44	.0
Boston	clear	60	54	.40
Charleston	clear	70	54	.0
Charlotte	clear	62	46	.0
Chicago	clear	60	44	.0
Galveston	clear	70	62	.0
Jacksonv.	cldy	72	64	.0
Memphis	clear	66	44	.0
Mobile	clear	70	50	.0
Montgom'y	clear	70	46	.0
New Orl.	clear	72	56	.0
New York	clear	58	46	.02
Oklahoma	clear	76	48	.0
Palestine	clear	74	46	.0
Pittsburg	clear	56	40	.0
Raleigh	clear	62	46	.0
Savannah	clear	70	54	.0
Shreveport	clear	72	48	.0
St. Louis	clear	62	44	.0
Washing'n	clear	60	44	.0

MUST STOP DISCHARGING RAW SEWAGE IN TAR RIVER

Permanent Injunction Granted Against Town of Louisburg.

(Special Star C rrespondence).

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 30.—In Raleigh Thursday afternoon Judge W. M. Bond of the Superior court heard the appeal of the State Board of Health and its secretary, Dr. W. S. Rankin, for a permanent injunction against the town of Louisburg against a continuance of the discharge of raw sewerage into Tar river. After hearing both sides of the case, the State's interests being cared for by ex-Senator L. V. Bassett and Louisburg's interests by Attorneys W. M. Yarborough and W. M. Ruffin, Judge Bond granted a permanent injunction to become effective in ninety days or as soon thereafter as it was possible to make certain changes in the sewerage system of that town. The injunction declares that Louisburg shall cease the discharge of raw sewerage into Tar river as a menace to the water supply of Rocky Mount, Tarboro and Greenville and that only such sewerage as has been treated by a process of purification acceptible to the State Board of Health shall be poured into the river.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New Orleans, Sept. 30.—Liquidation was the governing influence on the cotton exchange today. Fresh buying was in moderate volume. Cables were poor and around the opening, prices were 4 to 6 points under yesterday's close. From this, there was a recovery and an advance to a level a point above yesterday's last quotations on the strongest months. Later in the session pressure from offerings from longs increased again and some short selling was encouraged by the forecast of fair and warmer weather for the entire belt, and by expectations of large ginning figures in the government's report Monday. At the lowest the most active months were 7 to 9 points under yesterday's close. Last prices for the day showed a net loss of 4 to 9 points.

Close: October 15.44; December 15.62; January 15.76; March 15.96; May 16.18.

Spot cotton quiet and unchanged; sales on the spot 220 bales; to arrive 1,900 bales; middling 15.50.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Eastern District of North Carolina.

Whereas, on the 28th day of September, 1916, The Freighters' Transportation Co., a corporation, filed a libel in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina against the Steamship "Luisa," her boats, tackle, apparel and furniture, in a cause of failure to carry out contract, Civil and Maritime.

And Whereas, by virtue of process in due form of law, to me directed, returnable on the 28th day of September, 1916, I have seized and taken the said Steamship "Luisa" and have her in my custody.

Notice is hereby given, that a District Court will be held in the United States Court Room, in the City of Wilmington, on the 4th day of October, 1916, for the trial of said premises, and the owner or owners, and all persons who may have or claim any interest, are hereby cited to be and appear at the time and place aforesaid, to show cause, if any they have, why a final decree should not pass as prayed.

W. T. DORTCH, U. S. Marshal.
By J. N. Fennell, Deputy Marshal.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Effective Monday, September 11th, 1916, Southern Railway announces the present Winston-Salem-Beaufort-Morehead City Pullman Sleeping Car line will be shortened to Winston-Salem-Goldsboro, Pullman Sleeping Car line. This car will leave Winston-Salem at 8:50 P. M. same as at present, and arrive Goldsboro following morning, returning car will leave Goldsboro 10:35 P. M., arriving Winston-Salem following morning.

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Steamship Onondaga, Fri., Oct. 6th
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DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90 3:40 A.M. Daily except Sunday.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91 1:15 A.M. Daily except Monday.
No. 51 5:30 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50 12:30 A.M. Daily.
No. 64 5:15 A.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65 6:15 P.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.
No. 48 8:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains having Pullman service.	Daily No. 49 6:05 P.M.
No. 52 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52 5:00 P.M. Daily.
No. 62 3:25 P.M. Daily	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63 12:50 P.M. Daily
No. 53 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Sleeping cars only between Florence and Columbia, which may be occupied at Columbia until 7:00 A. M.	No. 54 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 59 6:30 P.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60 10:15 A.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.
No. 42 6:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, carrying dining cars; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 9:50 A.M. Daily.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
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WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

Effective September 5, 1916.

Lv. Wilmington	Leave Beach.
! 6.25 A. M.	! 6.05 A. M.
	* 6.40 "
6.55 "	! 7.10 "
! 7.25 "	7.40 "
! 8.00 "	! 8.15 "
8.30 "	! 8.45 "
10.00 "	9.15 "
11.30 "	10.45 "
1.10 P. M.	12.15 P. M.
x 1.30 "	1.50 "
2.00 "	x 2.15 "
2.30 "	2.45 "
3.00 "	3.15 "
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4.30 "	4.45 "
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7.15 "	7.20 "
8.15 "	7.50 "
9.15 "	8.50 "
10.15 "	9.50 "
11.15 "	10.50 "
12.10 A. M.	11.50 "

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FREIGHT SCHEDULE.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS

Lv. Ninth and Orange Sts. 9:30 A. M., 3:30 P. M.
Lv. Beach, 12:15 P. M., 5:15 P. M.
Freight Office Open from 8:00 A. M. to 9:30 A. M. and from 2:00 P. M. to 3:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS

Lv. Ninth and Orange Sts., 11:00 A. M.
Lv. Beach, 12:45 P. M.
Freight Office Open Sundays from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

The Progressive Railway of the South. Effective May 28th, 1916.

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS FROM WILMINGTON:

No. 13—3:55 P. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR, WILMINGTON TO CHARLOTTE.

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No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE. Open at 10:00 P. M., for Passengers.

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS AT WILMINGTON:

No. 14—12:40 P. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON.

THROUGH DAILY PULLMAN SERVICE ATLANTA TO WILMINGTON — ALL STEEL CARS. THROUGH SLEEPER FROM BIRMINGHAM SATURDAY.

No. 20—12:10 A. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON. PASSENGERS MAY REMAIN IN SLEEPER UNTIL 7:00 A. M.

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ASHEVILLE, N. C.	$14.05
BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C.	$14.05
HENDERSONVILLE, N. C.	$14.05
HICKORY, N. C.	$10.85
EDGEMONT, N. C.	$12.85
PINEOLA, N. C.	$10.30
LENOIR, N. C.	$11.85

Tickets on sale daily until October 15th, limited returning Midnight October 21st.

CLEVELAND, OHIO $35.05

On sale October 1, 2, 3, limited returning Midnight, October 12.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA. $20.03

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$33.05—Cleveland, Ohio.

Account Annual Convention, Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Tickets will be sold October 1, 2 and 3, limited returning until Oct. 12.

$50.05—Des Moines, Iowa.

Account National Churches of Christ. Tickets will be sold October 6, 7 and 8; limited returning until Oct. 20.

$20.50—Cincinnati, Ohio.

Account Laundryman's National Association of America. Tickets will be sold October 7, 8 and 9, limited returning until Oct. 16.

$35.55—St. Louis, Mo.

Account Triennial General Convention, Protestant Episcopal Church. Tickets will be sold Oct. 9, 10 and 11, limited returning until Nov. 4.

$3.40—Goldsboro, N. C.

Account Wayne County Fair. Tickets will be sold Oct. 9 to 13 inclusive; limited returning until Oct. 15.

$21.30—Springfield, Mass.

Account National Dairy Association. Tickets will be sold Oct. 12, 13, 14 and 15, limited returning until Oct. 25.

$20.95—Jacksonville, Fla.

$21.45—State Camp, Fla.

Account the following important National events: Southern Rifle Association, October 11 and 12; National Rifle Association, October 13 to 19; National Rifle Practice, October 20 and 21; National Individual Rifle Match, October 23; National Pistol Match, October 24; National Team Match, October 24 to 26. Tickets will be sold to Jacksonville and return September 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 25, 30; October 1 and 2; and to State Camp and return, October 7, 8, 9, 14, 15 and 16. All tickets will be limited returning until November 4, 1916. **Reduced fares for parties of ten or more traveling together.**

$4.85—Raleigh, N. C.

Account 56th N. C. State Fair. Tickets will be sold October 14 to 21, inclusive; limited returning until Oct. 22.

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EAST LUMBERTON HAS WATERWORKS SYSTEM

Banks in the Capital of Robeson Evidently Prosperous.

Superior Court Convenes Monday—Green Valley Farm One of Lumberton's Interesting Develoments—News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Sept. 30.—A two weeks term of Superior court with Judge Winston presiding, will convene here Mpnday. This is a civil term and as is usually the case, there are many cases on the docket, many of which will be compromised without going to trial. At least, that is the general rule when some people get in court and can't stand trial off any longer, they are ready to settle without a jury.

Criminal court is scheduled for November 6th, but as the election comes on the 7th, there will probably be no court until the 8th.

Short crops do not seem to affect the local banks so very much, as money is stacked up in all of them. The statement of the National Bank of Lumberton at the close of business September 12th, showed an increase in deposits over the same day last year of over $130,000. We have not the figures of the other banks but both of them are away ahead of last year. On September 12th, the National Bank of Lumberton had on deposit $367,000.

The Star correspondent spent part of a day this week in East Lumberton, and is satisfied that not one-fourth of the population of Lumberton proper has any idea of what is in East Lumberton with its population of 1,300 people. Those who have the idea that all the people there work in the cotton mills are badly mistaken. While the mills employ several hundred, a trip down through the fields adjoining the mills would cause many to forget that there was a cotton mill in existance.

Green Valley Dairy is a part of the business unknown to many people in this section, and it would be time well spent to visit this place and see what is going on. Mr. E. L. Hamilton—he might be called superintendent of the whole territory of East Lumberton—kindly showed the writer through, and will be glad to accord others the same courtesy if caught at the right time. There is to be seen the finest herd of milch cows in this section, 25 in number, some of them of the very finest strains of stock. Some of these cows give four to five gallons of milk per day, supplying all the milk the village needs and 120 quarts daily to customers in Lumberton. The dairy is faultlessly clean, everything screened, not a fly to be seen in the building, with running water going through from a well 135 feet deep, though not a drop of water gets into the milk. The milk from Green Valley is as absolutely clean and pure as can be made. The cows are closely watched and if one shows that she even feels stupid or drowsy her milk is not allowed to be offered to any one for any purpose. This enterprise was inaugurated in July of last year with four cows, and now with 25 cows the demand for milk can not be filled. Fine hogs, not many in number, but high up in pedigree, are also to be seen on the farm. The mule-foot variety may be seen there as well as other fine breeds. Farmers should visit the farm to see hay raising. On 30 acres, 10 in soy beans and 20 in peas, over 50 tons of rich peavine hay has already been cured, and much of it baled, the capacity of the hay press being 200 bales per day. As soon as the beans and peas are removed much of the land is planted in rye. A variety of feed is grown for the milch cows, and while each one has its individual stall, dry and comfortable, it is given all the rich food it will consume.

The management of the mills in East Lumberton has spent this year $20,000 putting in a system of waterworks, connected with every residence and other buildings owned by the company. The land now owned and occupied by the Lumberton and Dresden Cotton Mills, in buildings, farming and dairy, 30 years ago, would have done well to make 10 bushels of corn to the acre, while it would have taken four or five acres to grow a bale of cotton.

East Lumberton has as good a school building with large auditorium as any section needs. It has Methodist and Baptist churches with large Sunday schools. Among the inhabitants are quite a number of musicians who have organized a first-class brass band. While in previous years the village has had much sickness, the water system changed sanitary conditions so that now fever is as scarce as anywhere. Our people should visit East Lumberton and see for themselves what many of them did not know existed.

While walking around town one night this week with a couple of strangers, we were, at one place, inclined to run, but The Star man could not run and the strangers would not forsake him. Our hair raised our hats and we spoke to each other in trembling whispers. Murder, we knew was being committed. One moment the victims were praying and the next they were cursing. Finally one negro made his escape from the building and came toward us. We thought that he had seen us and thought that we were trying to learn what was going on, but we assured him that we were just walking by and asked him what in the world was happening upstairs in a certain building. He said it was nothing only the colored lodge of "Yaller Dogs" was giving some of the boys the degrees. He said he slipped out of the waiting room before they had time to get him "strung up."

Rev. Dr. North raised a good crop of pea vine hay in the postoffice lot, and two or three different men disappointed him this week about cutting it for him. The doctor would not be outdone, however, and proceeded to do the work himself. When the hay had been nicely cured and Dr. North began raking, Rev. Mr. Seabolt came along, pulled off his coat and went to work. The hay was all raked and piled in good shape only a few hours before rain came. "A working man can't be downed," and "where there's a will there's a way."

Mr. Frank Gough received a crate of fine strawberries from Kittrell this week, and a number of his friends were remembered. The Star man being one of the number. The berries are of the variety which bears from May till cold weather. Mr. Gough expects to plant one acre in these berries, as an experiment at first. The plants come pretty high, $3 per 100, but if they will furnish berries all summer and fall that isn't so bad.

The Robesonian is going after the Bell Telephone Company about the manner in which they have been, and are, treating their patrons here. The charge is just. As that paper says, no one blames the management here, they are as clever and accommodating as they can be, but the people want what they pay for—good service. Coffee mill phones are out of date. Over a year ago the town officials requested the telephone company to remove poles from Elm street from the railroad to Sixth street. Just as well tell catfish to come out of the river and hunt bullbat nests. The local service here is good, equipment considered.

Mr. Lee Caldwell, bookkeeper at the Oil Mill, closed a deal one day this week with a gentleman for his entire cotton crop. The very next day the farmer drove up in a big automobile and unloaded his cotton crop for 1916, the net weight of which was 190 pounds.

Nothing better is to be expected of some people, but when men dressed like gentlemen, appearing like gentlemen, and no one would say to the contrary, will smoke pipes, cigars and cigarettes in a passenger station provided for ladies and gentlemen, can there be any doubt of the fact that there is something wrong with them? The same persons would kick on the least deficiency they could detect on the part of the railroad.

William Hammonds, of Bladen county, 18 years old, in company with another young man from his section, came to Lumberton this week and enlisted in the army. Hammonds changed his mind and took a position as a member of the Robeson county chain gang for three months. The night before enlistment the young men were given accommodations at a home in East Lumberton, where Hammonds stole a watch. It was found on his person in recruiting office. He made a confession of the crime, and Recorder Britt gave him three months. One of the recruiting officers who attended trial made it plain that the army did not want Hammonds as thieves were not enlisted if they were known to be such. He said Hammonds would have to clear himself of the watch case before he could join the army.

The question that some of the lot owners in Meadow Brook cemetery would like to have answered is whether or not the driveways are to be used for public highways. It seems that some people prefer driving through the cemetery rather than using the public road which leads by. Then it is said some wood haulers persist in driving from the woods through the cemetery rather than go another route. This practice should be stopped right now. Some of the drivers do not even confine themselves to the drive-ways, but will go out of their way to drive across some private square.

According to the almanac the fall season is here, but yesterday seemed like summer. It was dark and rainy part of the time, the black clouds hanging low, with some thunder and lightning and when the day was about as dark as such a day ever gets to be the electric lights had to go out for an hour. But it's no use to worry as the consumers will become accustomed to these rest spells as time goes on.

Billy (Single) Clifford and his company, opening the theatrical season at Lumberton opera house Monday night, are expected to arrive here tomorrow morning to spend Sunday. It is said that Lumberton, N. C., and Bainbridge, Ga., are the two favorite towns for this company. It is expected that a large audience will greet this attraction Monday night as the company is recognized as one of the cleverest that visits this place. All lovers of good music want to be there.

Mr. Earl Townsend, who returned from Charlotte this week after completing a business course, did rather an unusual thing. Arriving here at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, he went home and spent an hour or two with his mother, after which he went on duty as stenographer and bookkeeper for the Wishart Company. Without any reflection on any Lumberton boys, young Townsend is certainly one of the cleverest and most popular of his age that has been brought up here. His widowed mother is, and justly so, proud of her boy.

The Seaboard and the V. & C. S. will sell round trip tickets to Washington City Monday, good returning until the 16th, inclusive, for $10.25, from this place. Last cheap trip to Washington this year, and ideal weather for the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wright, of Bluefield, W. Va., arrived this week to spend several days visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. F. A. Burnham and two little daughters, of Mullins, S. C., arrived today on a visit to her sister, Mrs. N. P. Andrews.

Kiffin Rockwell, the young aviator who was killed a few days ago in the European war, was a cousin of Mrs. T. C. Johnson, of Lumberton. Mr. Rockwell was a schoolmate of Mr. F. H. Townsend, of the Lumberton Cotton Mills office.

Several Western Union wires were either cut or broken at the union station last night so that there was a mass of wires lying around this morning. There was no wind to disturb anything and it is a little strange that so many wires would break in that manner.

The Wishart Company moved today into the new McLean building, on the old turpentine distillery site just north of the union passenger station. The building is so arranged that two freight cars can be unloaded at the same time, while wagons can be loaded at front or side doors. There is floor space sufficient to take care of 20 or more carloads of freight.

Thursday people were complaining of the hot weather, while this morning they are hunting warm places. Fires and overcoats were in demand, but the weather was fine, real sure enough fall weather.

A party of Gaston county hunters passed through here this morning in an automobile on their way to Columbus and Brunswick counties, equipped with dogs and guns for hunting deer.

Rev. J. Frank Gorrell, formerly pastor of the Lumberton Presbyterian church, spent Wednesday night and part of Thursday in town, being greeted by many friends. W. S. W.

A record for automobile touring economy has been set by Garnett Andrews, of Chattanooga, Tenn., a Cole Eight owner. Carrying a party of six, in his Cole Eight, he recently negotiated the 2,400 miles between Chattanooga, Tenn., and Haven, Me., at a total cost of $511.93—an average of 3 1-2 cents a mile for each person. The outlay included the best hotel accommodations, all incidental expenses, gasoline, tires, shopping money, driver's salary an da fine of $12.50 for violating the speed laws in Pennsylvania.

HEALTH AND HAPPINESS FOR PUPILS IN SCHOOLS

Attention Given Each Child in the Schools of New York.

Freight Rates on Pig Iron to New York Favor Texas As Against Pittsburg. Remarkable Story of Vanadium. Gossip of Gotham.

New York, Sept. 30.—The opening of the school year in New York will witness the introduction of a system of health and hygiene instruction for children, under the direction of the Department of Physical Training, Hygiene and Athletics of the public schools. New York school officials declare that "school days may be made the most healthful and happy of all life."

In order to accomplish this, herculean efforts will be made to eliminate all health-depressing influences of school life. Among the essentials is to place children in seats that are fitted for them; proper ventilation, and cleanliness. Daily inspection in hygienic conditions will be made by teachers at the opening of school each morning, and special attention will be given to symptoms of infectious diseases. The co-operation of parents will be sought, and the latter will receive pamphlets and instructions regarding the safeguarding of the health of the child; and the children will be taught lessons of health and hygiene in the school.

Dr. Crampton, director of this line of work, has issued valuable suggestions to children and teachers, recommending that they should rise promptly; take breathing and sitting-up exercises; eat slowly and chew well; care for their own clothing, desks, etc.; keep correct sitting and standing posture; drink plenty of water; be careful to use individual drinking cups or the bubble fountain; play in the fresh air; retire regularly. He also lays particular emphasis upon the necessity of properly washing the face, neck, hands and chest. A cold splash on the face and body is recommended. Clean finger nails are required; likewise clean teeth, and cleanliness in everything either in the school or home. Physical exercises and athletics are also included in the plan.

Texas is nearer to New York than is Pittsburg, according to the transportation rates on pig iron submitted to the Board of Industrial Preparedness in a presentation of the proposed use of Texas iron ores on a big scale for relieving the stress of orders for iron and steel, which have sent "steel common" across par on the stock exchange. Not that the immortal hero of the Texas Steer will have a shorter journey to Gotham from Texas City, than from the smoke of Pittsburg. But freight rates by water on pig iron, it seems, are even lower from the Texas port to New York than are the rail rates from Pittsburg. And the freight on iron ore from the famous Messaba mines, in which James J. Hill made many associates fabulous fortunes, to Pittsburg furnaces is much higher. The comparison made in a report of a big New York engineering house was as follows: "The freight on ore from the mines to the furnace and steel plant and the product of the plant to the commercial centers is one big item in the cost of production. The freight on ore to Texas City is only $1.75 per ton as compared to $5 per ton to Pittsburg, the greatest producing center in the world. Texas City is nearer New York than is Pittsburg when the cost per ton of freight charges is considered. Engineers' reports show that pig iron can be produced at Texas City for $9 per ton. The selling price of pig iron September 1st, 1916, was $22 per ton. It only takes two tons of Texas ore to produce one ton of pig iron." For years the great iron ores of Texas have been an ever-present regulator of the price at which the Northern ores are sold, but with the giant steel industry earning a million dollars a day and refusing orders, the situation is said to require development and use of the Texas area. The market in Texas alone for rails and fencing is so great that big warehouses are maintained by the steel corporation for distribution to the interior of the enormous state of Texas.

A respectable looking stranger, wrapped in a clerical atmosphere, justified his state of inebriety at a New York police station, by declaring that in First Timothy, fifth chapter and twenty-third verse, the advice was given "to use a little wine for thy stomach's sake." The man brought forth a Bible from his inside pocket, and attempted to prove by it that the police had outraged him in the pursuit of his happiness. The police captain scratched his head and finally beat the prisoner at his own form of argument: "You may be all right on Timothy and wine, old chap," declared the officer, "but if my nose serves correctly, you have been drinking beer. There is nothing in the Bible that justifies getting soused on beer—now is there?" The bibilous biblical boozer admitted that the policeman was right; whereupon the latter declared to the disturber of the rules of the street, "The coop's the place for you." He suited his action to his words, and the man with the Bible had all night to think up a new line of argument to present to the police court the following morning.

The way in which men grow rich in the financial market is demonstrated by the marvelous increase in vanadium stock, which now brings in the neighborhood of $1,000 a share. A concern organized in 1906 to mine and sell vanadium has disposed of its holdings to a group of eastern capitalists for $7,000,000. A year ago the stock was worth only $152 a share. Vanadium was one of the rarest minerals known until 1905, when rich deposits were discovered in the Peruvian Andes, 16,200 feet above sea level. In 1892 it was listed as the rarest metal, being valued at that time at $4,792 a pound, or at twenty times the value of gold. It is now sold at $3.50 a pound, and its uses have increased at a rapid rate. It is sold very largely to the makers of high-speed tools, large calibre guns, helmets, typewriters, automobiles, aeroplanes, locomotives and rails. An American company owns ninety-two per cent of the known deposits of the metal.

Henry Siegel proposes to demonstrate that it is possible to "beat back" and in an avowed effort to regain his fortune, and repay his creditors, the former wizard of merchandising has reopened a store in the heart of New York City. At one time Siegel had immense interests in New York, Boston, Chicago and elsewhere, but his balloon collapsed, after which he went to prison and served a sentence. Another prominent New Yorker who has "come back" is Morse, the former banker and ice king; who was pardoned from Atlanta prison by President Taft because "he could not possibly live six months." He is reported to be very wealthy. A suit has been entered against him for $100,000 by a man who claims to have been responsible for securing the pardon from prison. The plaintiff says that all he ever got for his services was a bouquet of flowers. Mr. Morse intimates that that was about all the man ever earned.

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GOVERNOR'S LETTERS TO BE PRINTED IN BOOK FORM

Volume Being Carefully Edited by Miss Jones, Private Secretary.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 30.—Miss May F. Jones, private secretary to Governor Craig, has devoted much time of late to carefully editing in rather unique form the letter book of the Governor for his administration and the State Council has decided to have the volume printed and bound for a limited distribution at the close of the administration in January. A large part of the copy for the volume will go to the printers at once. Heretofore these volumes of the correspondence of the governors have been gotten up in typewritten form and merely left in the executive offices as original records without printing.

RACING PURSES INCREASED

By Directors of Cape Fear Fair at Fayetteville This Year.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, Sept. 30.—The directors of the Cape Fear Fair at a meeting held here voted to increase the purses of the racing meet to be held in connection with the fair on October 24, 25, 26 and 27, from $300 to $400 each, thus placing the Cape Fear Fair on a parity with the biggest fairs in North Carolina in this respect. The action of the directors will have the effect of bringing an even better class of horses to the fair here than have been coming in past years and will be a big boost to the fair. It is announced by Secretary R. M. Jackson that a football game will be played on one day of the fair between Donaldson Military School and either the Wilmington or Raleigh High School.

The Cole Eight manufacturers, at Indianapolis, are the recipients of a flattering tribute from Dr. William H. Brown, of Detroit, Mich., who claims to have driven his Cole Eight 10,000 miles without finding it necessary to raise the hood. "It is some car! And I have had a bunch of them. It's the best one of all!" wrote Dr. Brown.

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